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JAPANESE LOSING  
FIGHT WITH  
HUANG HO  
FLOODS

Shanghai, To-day.

To-day's reports from the Yellow River area state that it is still raining and the floods have increased slightly.

The Japanese army, assisted by Chinese farmers, is waging a frantic, and apparently losing, battle to stem the waters.

They are being further impeded by Chinese guerillas who are sniping the Japanese as they work, according to an official Japanese announcement.

## SAFETY ZONES

The Chinese and Japanese have now begun hurried construction of raised dyke emplacements as safety zones along the whole length of the Lunghai Railway and at other points where it is feared the floods will spread.

It is reported that the floods in Shantung are now under control.—Reuter.

## NEW DYKES

Shanghai, To-day.

Since it is impossible to repair the broken sections of the original dykes, endeavours are made to control the floods by the erection of new dykes and the construction of canals.

The capital of Honan, Kaifeng, which is crowded with fugitives, resembles an island in high seas. As long as the walls of the city and the gates, which are barricaded with sandbags, offer resistance to the pressure of the floods, there is no immediate danger for the city.

## RESCUE EFFORTS

Many thousand fugitives, who saved practically nothing of their property from the floods, have gathered on those sections of the Lunghai Railway dam which escaped the destruction.

Many hundred floats are endeavouring to rescue people in the inundated area. Around the town of Chungmon, the waters of the flood formed a huge lake which covers an area of 500 square kilometres, four metres deep. The bodies of numerous drowned people are floating on the surface of this

Cracked Walls And  
Broken Windows

Canton, To-day.

Only a very fortunate chance prevented serious loss of life last night in the vicinity of St. Hilda's School, as six bombs fell within a very narrow area.

The missiles narrowly missed Dr. Scheyer's German Hospital, Sun Yat-sen University and Holy Trinity College.

Several of these premises had their walls cracked and windows broken, while a Chinese temple in the vicinity collapsed on the occupants, who were fortunately sheltering in a home-made dugout and escaped uninjured.

All six bombs fell so close to each other that it seems they were released together from one plane.

Holy Trinity College, which is run by the Church Missionary Society, is staffed by three foreigners, the Rev. N. V. Halward, Mr. Baker and Mr. Allen.

Mr. Halward and Mr. Allen returned to Hong Kong for a short visit on Wednesday, but Mr. Baker presumably was on the premises when the raid occurred.

Further afield, bombs fell on well-to-do residences in the suburbs beyond Central Park, destroying houses and apartment buildings.

Casualties in all cases were providentially slight, owing to the recent large-scale evacuations. — Reuter.

## DIRECT HIT

Canton, To-day.

In the course of last night's raids, two bombs dropped in the compound of St. Hilda's Girls School, the property of the Church Missionary Society.

One building suffered a direct hit, being totally demolished, and others were seriously damaged.

Fortunately there were no casualties, as the school had been previously evacuated, being in the danger zone.

Almost all schools and universities in Canton have now emptied, and Ling Nam Uni-

lake. The Chinese peasants in the flooded area are fleeing eastwards. — Trans-Ocean.

"TIMES" OPINION  
ON CHINA  
FLOODS

LONDON, TO-DAY.

"IT IS STILL DIFFICULT TO GAUGE THE FLOOD'S EFFECT ON JAPANESE STRATEGY AND CHINESE DEFENCE," SAYS "THE TIMES" THIS MORNING IN A LEADING ARTICLE ON THE YELLOW RIVER FLOODS.

"The Japanese are now unable to reach Chengchow, and it must be admitted that they are not likely to have been primarily responsible for breaching the dykes and thus delaying their own progress.

"The undeclared war looks like dragging on for many months, and the tone of the inspired Japanese press suggests that the expense and duration of the struggle are beginning to tell on the nerves of Japanese politicians, who cannot forget that one of the campaign's results, which was nominally undertaken with the object of detaching China from the League of Nations, has

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been the ruin of a vast amount of constructive work which the Chinese Republic has undertaken with the aid of the League's technical experts."—Reuter.

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# Summer Recipes

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## SPINACH RING

4 cups cooked spinach.  
1/4 cup butter.  
Salt, pepper.  
Nutmeg.

Drain spinach, chop and season with butter, salt, pepper and nutmeg. Press into a ring mold and steam until ready to serve. Unmold on a chop plate.

## PEAS WITH LETTUCE

1 head lettuce.  
1 pound peas.  
Salt, sugar.  
2 tablespoons butter.  
Paprika.

Shred lettuce and place with shelled peas in a small amount of water in a saucepan. Add a dash of salt and a dash of sugar and cook covered over a low fire until tender. Add butter and paprika.

## DRESSING FOR GREEN SALADS

2 chicken's livers, boiled.  
Yolks of two hard cooked eggs.

1/2 teaspoon salt.  
1 teaspoon prepared mustard.  
1/8 teaspoon white pepper.  
1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.

3 tablespoons vinegar.  
1/2 cup olive oil.  
Mash and mix to a paste the chicken livers and egg yolks. Add seasonings and vinegar pour in olive oil drop by drop, stirring in the same direction until the consistency of thin mayonnaise. Mix with salad.

## SHREDDED LETTUCE WITH BACON SALAD

6 strips bacon.  
1 head lettuce.  
1/2 cup vinegar.

Cook the bacon until light brown but not crisp. Cut in small pieces and add with the hot fat over the shredded lettuce. When well mixed, add the vinegar. Mix well and serve.

## GERMAN DRESSING

2 strips bacon.  
1 tablespoon flour.  
2 egg yolks.  
1/4 cup vinegar.

Pepper, salt, paprika.  
Cut bacon in small pieces, fry lightly and remove from fire. Add flour and blend well with bacon fat. Stir in beaten egg yolks, add water and vinegar and stir over a low fire a few minutes until



"The trouble with most of us who can go back ten or twelve years," says ageing Elise, "is that we usually stay there."

smooth. Season to taste with pepper, salt and paprika.

## THOUSAND-ISLAND DRESSING

1/2 cup mayonnaise.  
1 tablespoon tarragon vinegar.  
1/2 cup whipped cream.  
1 chopped hard-cooked egg.  
1 tablespoon chopped green pepper.  
2 tablespoons chopped cooked beet.

1 tablespoon chopped onion.  
1/2 teaspoon minced parsley.  
Mix the ingredients in the order

## COTTAGE CHEESE SALAD

2 tablespoons minced onion.  
1/2 pound cottage cheese.  
1 tablespoon minced pimento.

Mix the onion and pimento with the cheese and season. Press into small bowl and set in refrigerator to chill. When ready to serve salad, turn cheese out on small platter and arrange lettuce or romaine around it. Pass French or spicy dressing.

## FRENCH DRESSING

1 teaspoon salt.  
1/2 teaspoon paprika.  
1 teaspoon sugar.  
1 teaspoon onion juice.  
3 tablespoons vinegar.  
1 teaspoon mustard.  
1/2 cup salad oil.

Mixed dry ingredients and add to salad oil. Add onion juice and vinegar and stir or shake in a sealed bottle or jar until the mixture begins to thicken. A small piece of ice added before stirring makes it thicken at once. Store in refrigerator in airtight jar.



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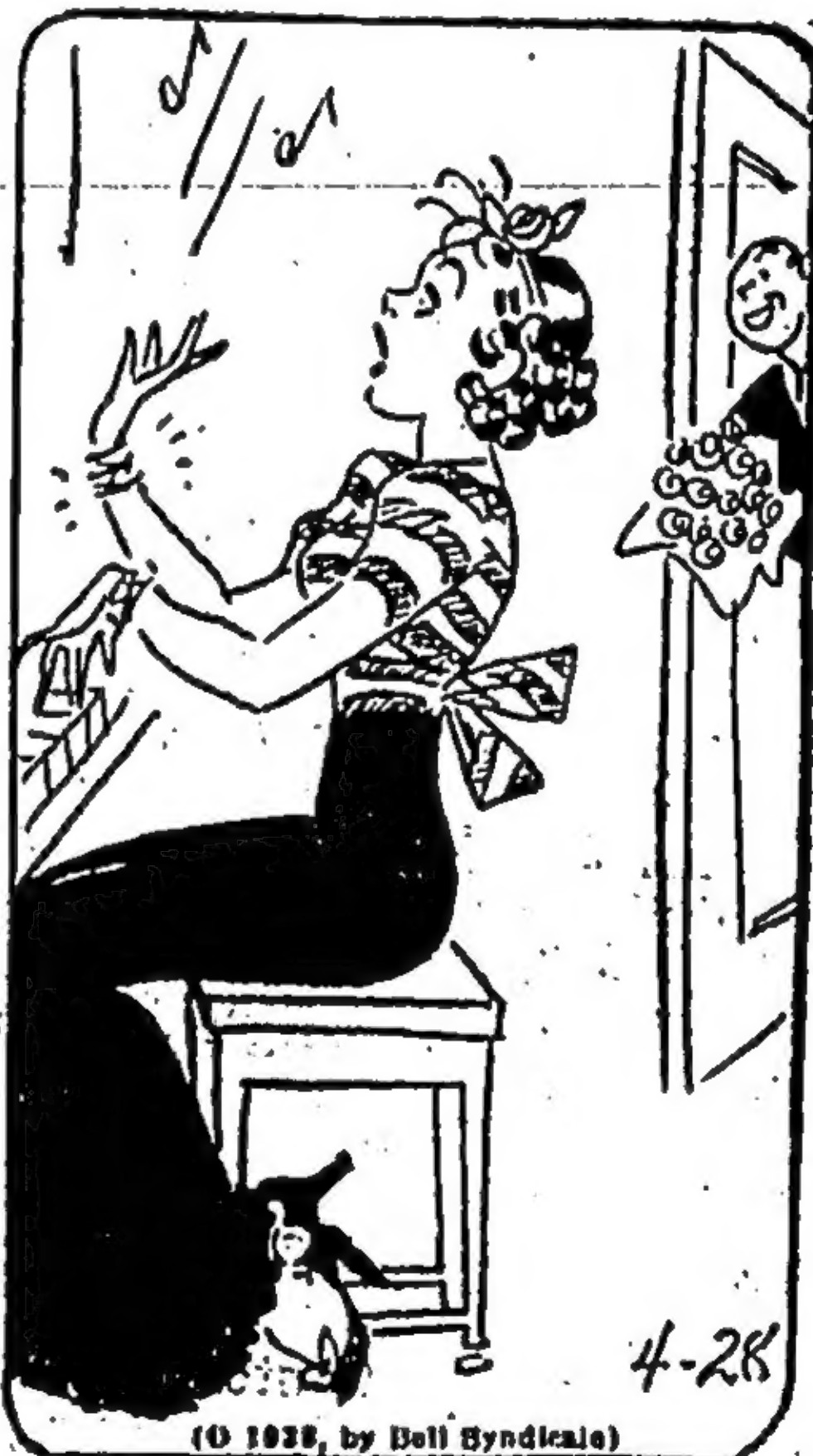
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# Victorian Bridal

## Pretty Wedding At The Registry

by Ursula Jeffries

Something old and something happy couple left for the Hong new—so goes an old saying, and at Kong Hotel to receive the con- yesterday's wedding at the Regis- gratulations of their many friends. try, Supreme Court, when Miss At the reception were His Ex- Beatrice Chang became the bride cellency The Governor and Lady of Mr. Ts'o Tsun On, the old and Northcote, and other high officials the new were combined to make one of the administration.

Styled after the Victorian era, the bride's dress was fashioned of genuine white Valenciennes lace, and is an original design by Madame Helene. The shirred bodice was corset-fitted and outlined in a heart shape with frilling just above the bust line. The scalloped skirt fell to below the knees and was worn over an additional skirt of silk net. Other details included a high neck and long sleeves, edged with frills, and a white taffeta slip to give stiffness to the skirt. Her veil was a short one, cleverly treated to form a headdress of rare beauty. Two gardenias were pinned to the top of her head, and her face was hidden behind the veiling. She carried a Victorian posie of white jasmine and lilies arranged by The Clover Leaf Flower shop.

Attending the bride were the Missis Jennie Cecelia Wong and Bessie Lee, as bridesmaid and flower girl respectively. Miss Wong's frock was a dainty creation in pink organdy, with lots of flouncing on the skirt, piquant puffed sleeves, and high neck encircled with neatly tailored tucks. With it she wore a Juliette cap of pink and blue flowers, with pink veil. Hers was also an original design by Madame Helene.

Bessie Lee was dressed in a demure frock of blue organdy, with Peter Pan collar edged with frills, and pink flowers scattering the hem-line.

Both carried Victorian posies of mixed blooms, tied with pink and blue ribbon.

The bridegroom's mother was also present and she was attractively dressed in a traditional Chinese gown for ceremonial occasions, with black jacket and red skirt, elaborately embroidered in gold and silver thread with birds and flowers.

The ceremony was performed by the Registrar of Marriages, Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, and took place at 3 p.m. Witnesses were the bride's brother, Mr. S. Z. Chang, and the bridegroom's father Mr. S. W. Ts'o, C.B.E., LL.D.

Following the ceremony a Benediction was pronounced by Bishop R. O. Hall, in the private chapel of St. Paul's Church, after which the

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Chang Pong Chik of Shanghai, and the bridegroom is Honorary A.D.C. to His Excellency The Governor, and A.S.P. (R) O.C. of the Hongkong Police Reserve, Chinese Company.

The newlyweds are spending their honeymoon at Shatin, where they have taken a bungalow.



Lying flat on the back, arms outstretched, Ruby Mercer raises the legs alternately over the head touching the floor with the toe. This is very good for the abdominal muscles and excellent for reducing the hips.

## What causes Morning Tiredness?

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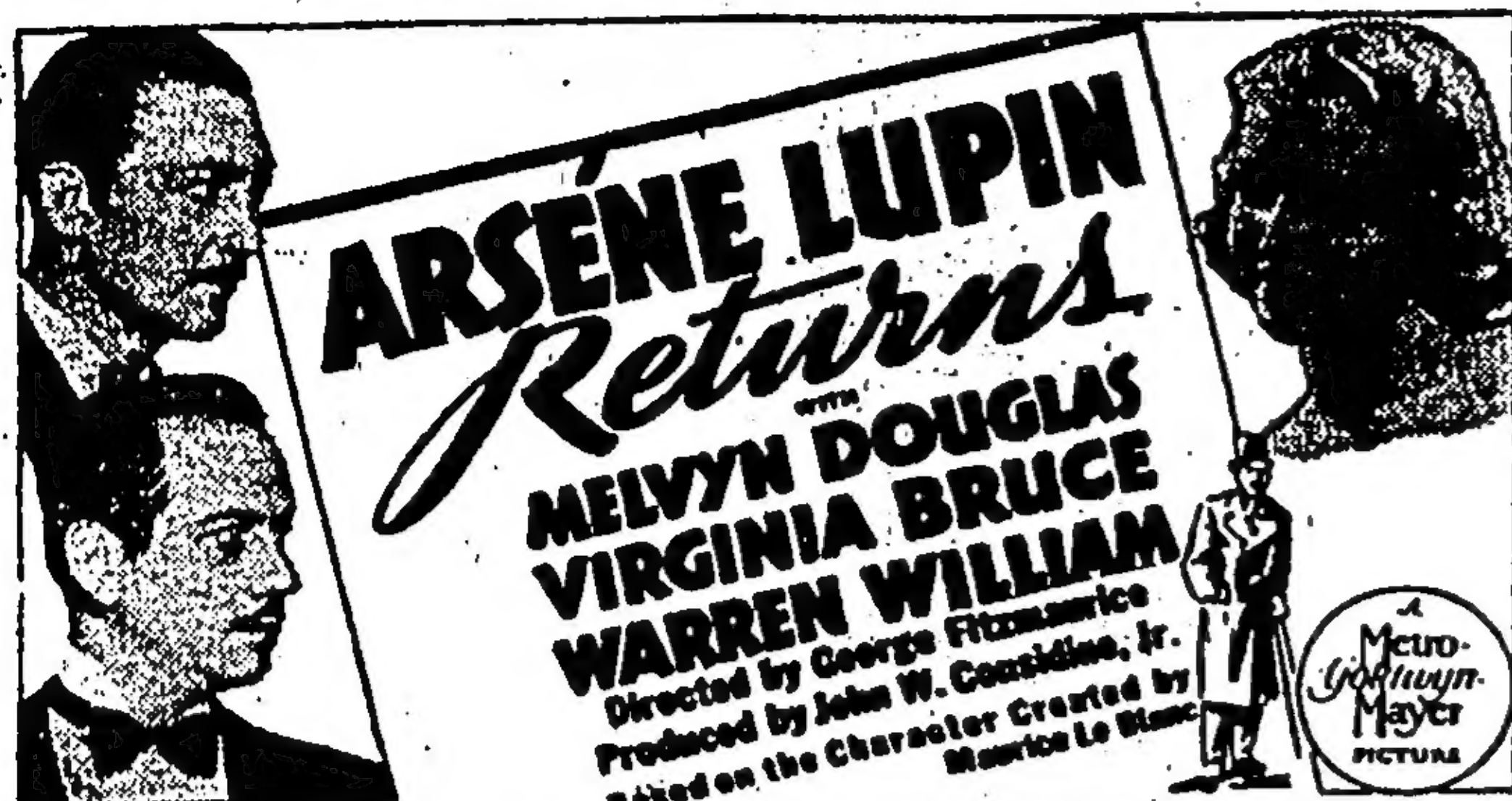
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WOMAN DIES  
AFTER EXPLOSION

The explosion which took place on a junk at the A.P.C. installation at North Point last night, has resulted in the death of Lai Ng, a woman, who was on board the junk and serious injuries to Chui Kau, the master, and Chau Yau a foki. Two other fokis were also admitted to the Queen Mary Hospital but their injuries are not serious.

Driver M. Gray, R.A.S.C., has reported that while driving near King's Park, a woman carrying a load slung across her shoulders, stepped in front of his lorry and

Japanese Advance  
On Hankow Confined  
To Two Routes

Hankow, To-day.

The Japanese armies advancing on Hankow from Anking and Hopei, respectively, joined hands at Tungcheng after the latter town had been evacuated by the Chinese, according to reports here which add that the Chinese troops have withdrawn to the hilly region west of Tungcheng.

The Japanese, it is stated, are now continuing their march westwards in two columns, one of which is advancing along the road from Anking to Hankow, which runs parallel to the Yangtse, and the other along the road from Hofei to Hsinyang, on the Peiping-Hankow Railway, about 112 miles north of Hankow.

This second column reached Liuan, 150 miles east of Hsinyang, yesterday morning.

Japanese troops on the banks of the Yangtse have received strong reinforcements and it is said that the Japanese warship "Idzumo" has arrived at Nanking.

It is surmised in military circles here that owing to the floods in Honan, the Japanese advance on Hankow will be confined to the two aforementioned roads.

## GIGANTIC DIMENSIONS

The floods have assumed gigantic dimensions. The water is reported to have reached Menling, on the Peiping-Hankow Railway, some 20 miles northeast of Hsuechang, which means that the flood have already advanced nearly sixty miles.

Reports here assert that Japanese troops in the neighbourhood of Kaifeng are retreating in an easterly direction.

Chinese military circles point out that the floods have completely modified the strategic situation, since the Japanese have been compelled provisionally to abandon their advance in the plain of Honan. — Trans-Ocean.

THREE RAIDS  
ON CANTON  
SINCE 1 A.M.

Canton, To-day.

The city received three visitations from Japanese raiders this morning, at 1 o'clock, 2.30 and 5 a.m.

The 2.30 raid was the heaviest, a large number of planes coming over and dropping a number of bombs in various locations.

It was significant that the raiders carried riding lights, which could plainly be seen from below, and their appearance occasioned an outburst of rifle shots from all quarters, in the faint hope that a stray shot might find effect.

The other two raids were not so intensive, and appeared to consist only of three or four planes, which each time dropped intermittently bombs on the city's outskirts.—Reuter.

HIT-AND-RUN  
DRIVER SENTENCED

APPEARING BEFORE MR. W.-J. LOCKHART SMITH AT THE CENTRAL MAGISTRACY THIS MORNING A LICENCED DRIVER, CHUNG CHONG, WAS CHARGED WITH FAILING TO STOP HIS CAR AFTER AN ACCIDENT.

Traffic Sergeant Youe said defendant was driving private car No. 246 along Hennessy Road near Fleming Road, on Tuesday at 10.25 a.m. and knocked down a seven years' old girl, Cheng Siu-nai, who was admitted to the Queen Mary Hospital with head injuries. Defendant did not stop nor did he report to the police.

Defendant said that when he turned round he saw the girl pick up her wooden block and walk to the pavement. He thought there was nothing wrong with the girl, and went on.

A fine of \$25 or there weeks' hard labour was imposed. He was ordered to pay \$5. compensation.

was knocked down. She died on the way to the Kowloon Hospital.

SHARP SHOW OF  
FORCE BY  
FRENCH IN  
TIENTSIN

TIENTSIN, TO-DAY.

A PROMPT SHOW OF FORCE BY THE FRENCH AUTHORITIES YESTERDAY RESULTED IN THE JAPANESE CLIMBING DOWN.

The French acted when a force of Japanese-controlled Chinese police entered the premises of the French Jesuit College for a search and enquiry into the activities of the College.

The French Consul, M. Lepisier, summoned a company of French troops who marched up to the College under the personal command of Col. Jacomy, Commandant of the French forces in North China.

The police immediately withdrew.

The French Consul later declared that any further attempt to prejudice French prestige or interests would be resisted in similar fashion. — Reuter.



## BARCELONA CHECKS RAIDERS

London, To-day. Barcelona was raided in the early hours of yesterday morning, but owing to the heavy anti-aircraft barrage, not much damage was done and no casualties are reported.

Alicante was visited by insurgent bombers at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Four casualties are reported.—Reuter.

## AIR RAIDS AN ATTACK ON CIVILISATION

Paris, To-day.

"We consider the inhuman bombardments carried out in Spain and China an attack on civilisation," declared the Premier, M. Edouard Daladier, yesterday.

M. Daladier, who was addressing the Radical Socialist executive, added: "I believe that any conflict can be settled by pacific methods on condition that one is not taken by surprise."

"It was thus, as a result of the London conversations, that a diplomatic plan of action was drawn up which has enabled us to overcome the first of the difficulties regarding Czecho-Slovakia."—Reuter.

## FUR COATS AT ASCOT

LONDON, TO-DAY. THE WEATHER IS STILL SUNNY IN THE SOUTH OF ENGLAND BUT IS NOW NOT SO HOT. MANY LADIES ARE PUTTING ON FUR COATS OVER SUMMER DRESSES AT ASCOT.

In the North of England, rain is falling in many districts, but Glasgow escaped the downpour yesterday and a large crowd attended the Empire Exhibition, which has now been visited by over 3,000,000.—Reuter.

## FRENCH AIR FORCE STRENGTH

Paris, To-day. A number of decrees have been passed by the French Government, including an increase in Air Force personnel to 3,000 officers and 60,000 non-commissioned officers and men.

A decree has also been passed to encourage cotton growing in French Colonies by a change in cotton taxes more favourable to growers.—Reuter.

Foochow, To-day.

A lone Japanese warship opened up a broadside on the mainland at the mouth of the Min River on June 14.—Central News.

## BARBED WIRE BARRICADE PLAN AROUSES HOSTILITY

Jerusalem, To-day.

The arrival of 350 tons of barbed wire for the purpose of closing off the entire northern frontier of Palestine has set the match to a violent journalistic barrage in the Arab newspapers.

The "Falastin" writes in its yesterday's issue: "The attitude of the Arabs in Palestine is not directed against any particular enemy but against tyranny in general and 1,000 barbed wire entanglements will not quench the bitterness that has developed."

Yesterday's debate in the House of Commons during which the Secretary State for Colonies, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, asserted that "the backbone of the Palestine revolt has been broken" also afforded Arab editors with opportunity for indignant editorials. "Any other statement would have been more accurate" declared a leading Arab personality.

### MANY INCIDENTS

On the same day that Mr. MacDonald made his statement in the House, arrest was imposed on five Arab villages, five Arabs were kidnapped by guerilla bands, the Iraq oil line was damaged at different points, the telephone lines were cut and 450 metres of the barbed wire which had already been strung along the northern frontier were destroyed.

These facts assert the Arabs afford conclusive proof that the insurrection in Palestine has by no means subsided.—Trans-Ocean.

## BATTLESHIP ESCALATION DISCUSSION

London, To-day.

Asked in the Commons whether His Majesty's Government had reached any agreement with the Government of the United States on the size of battleships and heavy guns, the Prime Minister said escalation discussions were still proceeding, and pending their conclusion it was not possible to make any statement.

The question whether any efforts had been made to secure Japan's agreement not to exceed those maximum figures did not therefore at present arise, although His Majesty's Government would naturally bear in mind that particular aspect of the matter.—British Wireless.

## YANGTSE SCENE

Kweichih, To-day.

Chienkiangkow on the north bank of the Yangtze River below Anking was retaken by the Chinese at 2 a.m. yesterday by the Chinese in a counter-attack.

Further attempts by Japanese to land at Kweichih and Wusha-chia, 23 kilometres west, during the day were frustrated.—Central News.

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## ANOTHER WOMAN HELD IN PROTECTIVE CUSTODY IN U.S. NAZI SPY CASE

New York, To-day.

It is revealed that another woman has been in protective custody for a fortnight in connection with the United States Nazi spy investigations. The woman, whom the Federal authorities regard as their most important material witness, had been living in a hotel adjoining one of the big Long Island aerodromes, where she made the acquaintance of a number of airmen. She also kept a local bar.

The woman apparently was not acquainted with Dr. Ignatz Griebel, who "disappeared" recently, but, according to the "New York Times," knew one of the directors of the secret agent who eluded capture long before the present case was made public.

The authorities have now renewed their interest in the suicide last February of a former high German army officer, Otto Battenschlag, who was found dead on the beach shot in the head and heart with two pistols.

According to the "New York Post," this woman sent back Battenschlag's body to his home in Stuttgart.

39 WITNESSES QUESTIONED

The Federal Grand Jury is expected to conclude its investigation of the alleged espionage activities in the next few days.

So far, 39 witnesses have been questioned, and it is reported that twenty-two indictments may be returned.—Reuter.

## CHOLERA RAGES IN INDIA

Simla, To-day.

The cholera epidemic in India is assuming serious proportions.

In the last ten weeks there have been 25,000 cases in the United Provinces, of which 12,000 have been fatal.

Other parts of the country are affected to a lesser extent, while cases have been reported from Afghanistan, but the early monsoon is expected to check spread of the epidemic.—Reuter.

## SNATCHERS GAOLED

Sentence of six months' hard labour and 12 strokes of the birch was imposed on Chung Tsoi, aged 18, when he pleaded guilty before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy with snatching an earring from an old woman in Ship Street yesterday. Li Kwan was sentenced to six months' for snatching a hand bag containing money and jewellery to the value of \$100 from Lam Wo Yin, near Tin Lok Lane last night.

## FOREIGN POLICE OFFICER CHARGED

Five police officers, including a foreign member of the force, Lance-Sergeant A62 Charles Hosack Telfer, appeared before the Magistrate in Kowloon this morning, facing serious charges, alleging attempted extortion.

Mr. Leo D'Almada, Sen., appeared on behalf of Telfer, and Mr. C. A. S. Russ is representing the four Chinese constables.

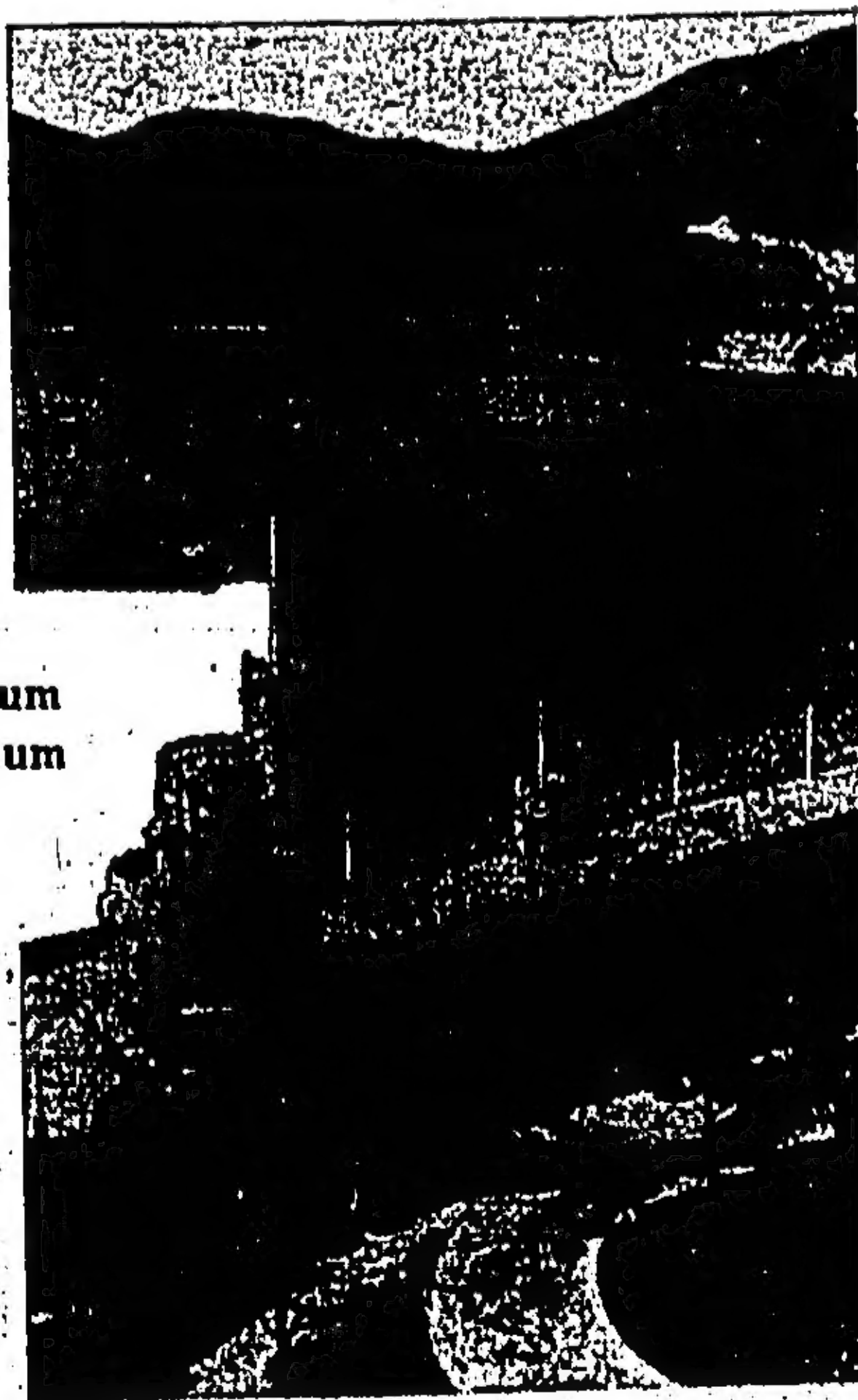
The accused were remanded for seven days on the application of Chief Inspector Carey.

It is understood that Lance-Sergeant Telfer is attached to the Central Police Station.

The first charge alleged that on May 9 and 11, the five accused at Temple Street attempted to extort from Lam Kwan \$20. The second charged alleged an attempt to extort \$10 from Shek So, in Temple Street, on the same dates.

Mr. Q. A. A. MacFadyen granted bail in the sum of \$250 each.

Charged with stealing a singlet from a room in the Yaumati Police Station and trespassing, Lo Wing-wan, 20, was this morning sentenced to three months' hard labour on the first charge and two months' or \$60 on the second by Mr. Q. A. A. MacFadyen at the Kowloon Police Court.





## Disappointment Over Working Of Trade Treaty With Russia

London, To-day.

Disappointment in the working of the Anglo-Russian Trade Agreement was expressed in the House of Commons by Mr. Oliver Stanley, replying to a debate on trade.

He said that the letter of the agreement was being observed but it was being carried out in the proportion of re-exports to exports manufactured in Great Britain, which did not represent the spirit in which they believed the agreement was going to be carried out.

He was discussing this very important question with some of those interests who were most affected by the course of trade with Russia.

Referring to the Austrian loan negotiations, he said that it was impossible at present to make any announcement with regard to the nature of the action likely to be taken, which must clearly depend upon circumstances.

### TRADERS WARNED

The Government still hoped that the negotiations would reach a successful conclusion but traders must recognise that there might be difficulties in obtaining payments after the end of June and must, therefore, use discretion in accepting any new commitments which might result in the accumulation of debts in Germany.—Reuter.

### ANGLO-AMERICAN NEGOTIATIONS

London, To-day.

In the Commons debate on trade, speakers from all parts of the House emphasized the great importance of favourable outcome of the Anglo-American trade negotiations.—British Wireless.

## BURGLAR ALARM STARTS WILD GOOSE CHASE

SHORTLY AFTER 10 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING A BURGLAR ALARM RANG IN THE TELEPHONE EXCHANGE AND NO. 2 POLICE STATION WAS IMMEDIATELY INFORMED THAT SOMETHING HAD HAPPENED AT NO. 39, BLUE POOL ROAD.

Central Police Station and other stations were likewise informed. All available police and detectives at Wanchai were taken in two cars, headed by Detective Sub-Inspector Darkin and Detective Sergeant Bentley, but on arrival at Blue Pool Road the police found that their haste had been in vain.

A mendicant had knocked at the door of the house to beg for a bowl of rice. One of the inmates had rung the alarm thinking it was necessary for the Police to know of this.

## AMERICA OPPOSED TO COMMITTEE

London, To-day.

The plan to form a committee in order to ascertain the extent of the damage caused by aerial bombing in Spain, has by no means been dropped by the British Government, according to well-informed circles here yesterday although it is now known that United States will decline to be represented on the committee.

The British Ambassador in Washington was informed by the State Department that America was against formation of such a committee which it was felt could not achieve any practical results.

Moreover the United States is of opinion that discussion of the question of preventing aerial bombardment be confined to Spain alone. The committee will therefore be composed of representatives of England, Norway and Sweden and will probably be formed this week.—Trans-Ocean.

## ARMY MUSEUM DESTROYED

Bucharest, To-day.

The army museum here was almost entirely burnt down yesterday morning, a large number of valuable historic objects being destroyed.

It is stated that the fire has caused by carelessness of a workman.—Trans-Ocean.

## AIR MAIL

The Imperial Airways plane arriving this afternoon is bringing only the Australian and Malayan mail for Hong Kong, the London and Indian mail having again been delayed.

Two London mails are expected by the Imperial Airways plane arriving to-morrow.

## REUTER MAN IN CITY WILD WITH HUNGER

Castellon, To-day.

Capture of this important port has now been completed, according to Reuter's special correspondent with the insurgent army, who witnessed scenes of rejoicing as Gen. Franco's troops entered the city.

Predominant emotion was gratitude that food had finally arrived, Reuter's special correspondent having a loaf torn from his hands by hungry citizens who had not tasted bread for several days.

Food lorries, sent from every province in insurgent Spain, were besieged the moment they entered the city, which is honeycombed by elaborate subterranean air raid shelters in which the inhabitants hitherto have led a troglodyte existence.

Many women passed the time altering the red, yellow and purple Republican flag to Gen. Franco's red, yellow and red colours in preparation for his capture of the town.—Reuter.

## HEAVY RAIDS IN SPAIN

Valencia, To-day.

The rebel air force was again extremely active on Wednesday.

In the morning planes bombed Alicante and Valencia, where a large number of bombs were dropped, on the suburbs of Cabanal and Grao, and the harbour district.

During a second raid which took place at noon, the French steamer "Galois" was struck by a bomb.

Barcelona was likewise bombed twice.—Trans-Ocean.

## BISHOP HECKLED AT LONDON PROTEST MEETING: MR. YOSHIDA'S CONFESSION

London, To-day.

The Bishop of Chelmsford was subjected to prolonged jeering and heckling yesterday when, at the meeting of the China Campaign Committee at Queen's Hall, he urged that force should not be used to induce Japan to abandon the bombings of Canton.

Instead, the Bishop suggested, an attempt should be made to convince the Japanese that they were losing face all over the world.

## HITLER VISITING VIENNA

Vienna, To-day.

It is officially learned that Herr Hitler is expected in Vienna to-morrow (Friday).

It is understood the visit is connected with difficulties which have arisen in the Austrian Nazi Party.

It is said that 1,200 members of the Party have sent the Fuehrer a letter asking him to settle the matter personally.—Reuter.

Mr. Victor Gollancz, the publisher, referred to the Japanese Ambassador's answer to the Committee's deputation on Tuesday, that the bombings were undertaken to demoralise the Chinese people.

### TERRIBLE STATEMENT

Mr. Yoshida's statement, said Mr. Gollancz, was one of the most terrible statements ever made by an Ambassador in a civilised country.

After the meeting, numbers marched to the Japanese Embassy carrying placards reading "Stop the Bombing. Boycott Japanese Goods." — Reuter.

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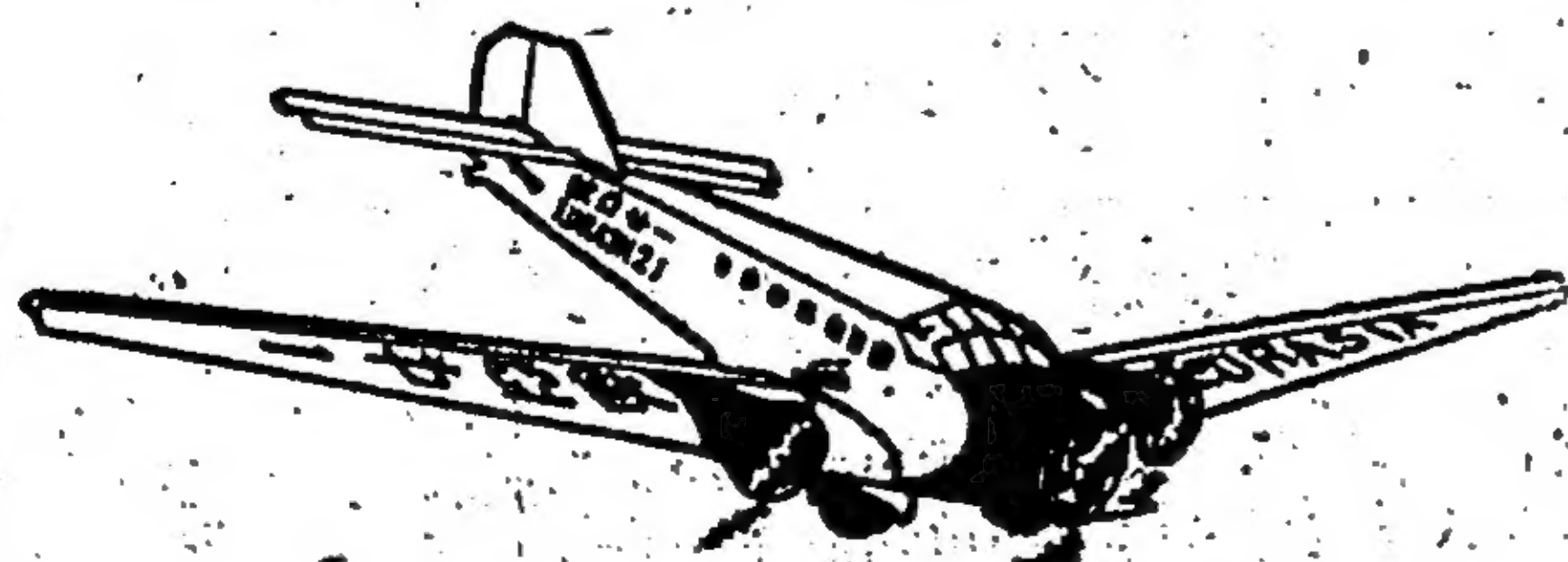
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## THE DAILY SHORT STORY

# FEAR OF DARKNESS

MERVIN had a horror of darkness. The day that he spent in solitary confinement at the state penitentiary following his conviction for the slaying of Fred Newton, he nearly went mad. It began when, as a child, he was locked in a dark closet as punishment for some mischievous prank. His youthful imagination had conjured all sorts of horrors then, and it had been doing so ever since. Fear of darkness became an obsession with him that he had never been able to overcome.

The dungeon had no light whatever. Mervin exerted all his will power to keep from screaming. Finally he screamed. He beat upon the walls and sobbed hysterically. It didn't do any good. When they finally let him out he was closer to a gibbering maniac than a man. They told him that the dungeon would be his punishment if he disobeyed any of the prison rules. He determined he'd behave himself.

But he couldn't. There was one thing he hadn't reckoned on. His habit of talking in his sleep. That too was a habit of childhood, that he never outgrew. It was probably a result of his horror of darkness.

Sometimes he'd wake up in the middle of the night, screaming. Guards would come running, and they'd throw him in solitary, as punishment. They wouldn't listen to his explanations that the screamings were beyond his con-

awake listening to his mutterings, laughing among themselves. Then when he'd begin to scream they would wait for the guards, and grin to themselves as he was led whimpering down the corridor.

A year passed. The warden of the state penitentiary was replaced by a new man, a younger man, with scientific and humanitarian ideas. This new man did not attempt to reorganise or change the life of the prison. He knew that harsh methods had to be used in controlling desperate criminals. Hope died in Mervin's breast when a week following the advent of the new warden, the guards dragged him from his cell one night and threw him into the dungeon.

Mervin was slowly losing his reason. He knew it. He knew before another year had passed he would be a raving maniac.

A month after the new Warden had taken over, a guard came and led Mervin away. He protested violently. Last night he had remained awake. He could not possibly have screamed.

The guard led him into the warden's office. The warden looked at him and shook his head.

"I want to talk to you about your habit of nightmares," he began.

Mervin saw an opening. He pleaded with the warden to put him off by himself where his screaming would-

By Stanley Cordell

trol. They turned a deaf ear to him. He told about pleadings not to confine him in the dungeon. He was a lifer, convicted of a major crime. They would show him no partiality.

Before a month had passed Mervin was a mere skeleton of his former self. There was a wild, unholy look in his eyes. He feared to go to sleep at night. He stayed awake as long as he could, and then would drop into a fitful slumber. More times than not he'd awaken with a terrorized scream on his lips. His fear of the dungeon made his nightmares more horrible.

There came a time when his condition became so weak he was sent to the infirmary. He remained there a week, recovered rapidly because temporarily the fear and dread of the dungeon was passed.

He hated to get well, because it would mean a return to the horrors of his old life. He thought of every possibility imaginable to cure himself of his habit of nightmares. And when at last he was returned to his cell, through sheer power of will, he controlled his subconscious mind for a period of two weeks. There were no nightmares, nor subsequent long hours in the dungeon.

Then one night it happened again. The guards came and took him away. He lay on the dungeon floor and sobbed. All the old horrors came back a hundred fold. He cursed the nurse who had punished him in his childhood by thrusting him into a dark closet. He cursed the habit of sleep-talking that had haunted him all through the years.

Mervin's cell mates had no pity for him. He interrupted their sleep, and they were glad enough to have him taken away. Sometimes they lay

didn't disturb any one. He told about his horror of darkness and how it had all come about.

The warden nodded. "I think it can be arranged," he said.

Mervin was overjoyed. He could not believe his ears. For a fortnight he was left alone. Then a guard came one day and took him again to the warden's office.

"Mervin," said the warden kindly, "I think within a week you will be a free man."

Mervin stared stupidly. He had confessed to the crime. He had ceased to hope, to think about the life he had left behind. The warden explained: "I have been listening to you talk in your sleep. You kept mentioning a name. You associated the name with certain events. The name you mentioned was that of Laura, your wife." Mervin's eyes grew wide in fear and desperation.

The warden smiled. "I called on your wife and talked to her. I am convinced that she didn't kill Fred Newton. She thinks you did it. You admitted it to protect her. You thought her guilty. Newton killed himself—an accident while he was cleaning his gun."

Mervin gulped. He swayed on his feet. Objects in the room began to reel. A guard caught him as he fell. When Mervin was well again, the warden presented him with his pardon. Mervin's eyes were misty. He was still incredulous. The warden said: "You're lucky, Mervin. It's a lucky thing you are a sleep-talker."

"Yes," Mervin agreed. "Yes—lucky." And a shudder shook his frame as he thought of the horrors of the past year.

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# NO QUESTION OF FORCE

## Herr Henlein And Sudeten German Claims

### Expects Powers To Insist On Settlement

London, To-day.

No-one in Germany has any intention of settling the Sudeten German question by force, declared the leader of the Sudeten German Party, Herr Konrad Henlein, in a special interview granted on Wednesday to the correspondent of the London "Evening Standard."

Herr Henlein expressed the opinion that should his own plan for solving the Sudeten German problem fail, the Western Powers will insist on such a solution.

Emphasizing his conviction that in the course of time even the Czech politicians will realise that the methods they have been employing for the past twenty years can never lead to peace, Henlein stated:

"I am certain that the Czech politicians will come to the conclusion that peace and order in Czechoslovakia can be restored only when the three and a half million Sudeten Germans are accorded complete equality and self-administration."

Herr Henlein regretted that foreign countries stubbornly refused to see that the real problem is one concerned exclusively with Czech treatment of non-Czech groups in the Czechoslovak State and is not a struggle for supremacy between the German Reich and Czechoslovakia.

#### BONDS OF RACE

That the sympathy of the Germans is with the Sudeten German population is natural, he declared in view of the bonds of race, language and culture. In conclusion he expressed the opinion that the Reich would regard the fulfilment of the Sudeten German Party demands as an important contribution towards European peace.—Trans-Ocean.

#### STRAIN ON NERVES

Prague, To-day. Considerable importance is attached in political quarters here to a statement at the annual meeting of the Industrialists Association yesterday by the President of the Central Association of Czechoslovak Industrialists, M. Preiss.

M. Preiss pointed out that, the present tension, which was imposing a heavy strain on the nerves and economic resources of the nation, could not be maintained for any length of time.

He then appealed to the Czech Government and the Sudeten German Party to conduct their forthcoming negotiations in a spirit of generosity. Referring to Czechoslovakia's relations with foreign powers, M. Preiss declared that loyalty to the allies of Czechoslovakia should not preclude maintenance of friendly relations with Germany and Italy.

"A State such as ours should seek to make friends everywhere without regard to ideological prejudices."—Trans-Ocean.

### NOT PREPARED TO LAY DOWN CONDITIONS

London, To-day.

The Prime Minister, asked in the Commons if the Government would make it clear that they did not entertain frontier revision as a possible contribution to solution of the problem of minorities in Czechoslovakia, said:

His Majesty's Government are not prepared to lay down conditions which would, in their opinion, be appropriate to solution of the problem of minorities in Czechoslovakia.

"This is a matter which is now being discussed between the Government of Czechoslovakia and representatives of the Sudeten German Party, and His Majesty's Government sincerely hope that these discussions will result in an agreed settlement."—British Wireless.

### NO MORE R.A.F. PURCHASES OF PLANES ABROAD

London, To-day.

In a Commons answer, the Air Minister said that no further purchases of foreign aircraft for the Royal Air Force were at present in contemplation.

Manufacture of aircraft in Canada was under consideration, but no decision had yet been reached.—British Wireless.

### MARINE WAR RISKS

London, To-day.

In the course of a speech in the Commons debate, the Parliamentary Secretary of the Board of Trade referred to the question of marine war risks.

He said that in view of changes which had taken place in methods of warfare, arrangements of insurance of ships and cargoes in an emergency, which had been prepared some years ago, were under review and any legislation must await result.—British Wireless.

### DEFENCE LOAN SOON FILLED

London, To-day.

The list for the new Defence Loan opened yesterday morning and closed in the afternoon. The list was quickly filled, and the staff of the Bank of England has a busy time receiving applications and distributing allotments.—Reuter.

### SHARP AFFRAY ROUND ROME MONUMENTS

Rome, To-day.

A serious incident occurred here yesterday at a monument erected between the Piazza Esedra and the main railway station, in honour of Italian soldiers who laid down their lives in the first African Campaign.

A negro who, it is believed, was Abyssinian, suddenly knelt down in front of the memorial and began to pray.

When a captain of the Italian Army objected to this, the negro attacked the Captain with short sabre and seriously wounded the officer.

A passerby who hurried to the Captain's assistance likewise received some cuts. Two soldiers who intervened were gravely wounded.

One of these soldiers finally succeeded in disabling the negro by a revolver shot.—Trans-Ocean.

### GENERAL VON FRITSCH

Berlin, To-day.

The former commander-in-chief of the German Army, General von Fritsch who, it will be recalled, retired in February, was granted the honorary title of Colonel-in-Chief of the 12th Artillery Regiment in Schwerin by the German Chancellor yesterday.

An official announcement states that the Fuehrer has appointed General von Fritsch, Colonel-in-Chief in recognition of his distinguished service in developing the army of the Third Reich.—Trans-Ocean.

### MR. CHADBOURNE PASSES

New York, To-day.

The death occurred yesterday of Thomas Lincoln Chadbourne.

Mr. Chadbourne was famous as originator of the world sugar production control plan.—Reuter.

### CLOUDY, SHOWERY

The Royal Observatory reports that pressure is highest over the Pacific to the north East of Japan, and is relatively low over China generally, the depression being stationary over Tongking.

Local forecast:—S. and S.E. winds, moderate to fresh; cloudy, showery.

### CONSTABLE'S APPEAL DISMISSED

An appeal by Shou Hsok-chi Shantung Police constable, against conviction and fine of \$300 imposed by Mr. H. R. Butters, for being in possession of 96 bottles of dutiable wine, was rejected by the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. R. E. Lindsell, at the Supreme Court this morning.

For respondent, was the Assistant Crown Solicitor, Mr. M. J. Abbott, while Mr. F. H. Loseby represented appellant.

Hearing was adjourned from Tuesday to permit Mr. Loseby to call one more witness, an officer from the S.S. Kwangtung. Mr. Loseby, however, explained this morning that he had unfortunately been unable to contact this officer and proceeded with his final address to the court.

He submitted that there was insufficient evidence on which to convict. The Crown witnesses, he said, had been most unreliable and had freely contradicted each other and he maintained that with the fresh evidence which had been brought to light in the present proceedings, no magistrate would have been able to register a conviction.

Giving judgment, His Lordship said:

"I have come to the conclusion that the appeal cannot succeed. If all the evidence before the court had been brought before the magistrate, he would have been justified in convicting.

"Further—if he had heard the appellant, he would have been confirmed in his belief of the Indian constable.

"On the other hand, it does appear that the blanket, an extremely important piece of evidence, was allowed to be carried about the Colony from hand to hand with no particular watch kept on it."

### HER FACE WAS "A PERFECT SIGHT"

Eczema Sufferer's Frank Letter


There is an unusual frankness about this letter from a woman who was once a victim of disfiguring eczema. Other sufferers who are looking for a remedy for this unpleasant complaint will be interested in what she writes:—

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## FILM CENSORSHIP

A tremendous hullabaloo has been raised out of the banning of the film, "In Nazi Germany," which might well have been reserved for a more important subject. Much misdirected criticism has, however, been a feature of the discussion connected with the "incident" and needs comment, for it seems to us stupid to talk of Nazi influence spreading to Hong Kong. If anyone is blameworthy in the matter, the blame lies with the censor or censors who having agreed to the showing of the film as a "silent" picture, later gave instructions for its complete withdrawal from exhibition. Altogether it seems to have been a footling gesture without very much rhyme or reason. We hold no brief for Nazidom or any other kind of ideological idiosyncrasy, but it seems to us natural and logical that if the Consul of any nationality in Hong Kong feels that the exhibition of a picture is for any reason detrimental to the interests of his country, he has a perfect right to make representations in the proper quarter. The German Consulate's action in this case created no precedent. Contact between the local consular body and film censors is frequent.

The important thing is what happens after representations have been made and that is a matter solely for the Hong Kong authorities. If there is subsequent criticism it must be laid to their account. Cutting or banning of a film at the suggestion of any outside authority leaves it to be assumed that the police censor or one of the outside censors has found the complaint to be fully justified and has acted accordingly. That is the point which seems to have been overlooked. The decision, aye or nay, lies with the Hong Kong authorities, a responsibility that cannot be side-tracked, and most certainly not to gainsay the ordinary right of a consular official to make a courteous request for consideration of his viewpoint in a matter which he may feel affects the interests of his particular country. The dragging of the swastika into the issue is merely to confuse it.

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## A New Reform in India

Meritorious endeavour to remedy a century-and-a-half-old blunder lies behind an announcement recently made by the India Office in London. This announcement is of the lending by the British Government of the services of Sir Francis Lewis Floud, a highly qualified British agricultural expert, to conduct an inquiry on behalf of the newly constituted democratic administration of Bengal into the land revenue and land tenure system of that province.

Bengal is a rich, rice-growing riverine plain, considerably larger than England and with 50,000,000 inhabitants, the great majority of whom are cultivators of the soil. The blunder, which the

Government now hopes to rectify, dates from the year 1793, when the "Permanent Settlement" was adopted.

This system came into force because British rulers of Bengal, faced with the problem of raising enough revenue to pay for the governing of the province, endeavoured to do so by forming an Indian squirearchy on United Kingdom lines. For this purpose Lord Cornwallis, the then Governor General, entered into a bargain with the tax collectors he found there under which he sold to them in perpetuity the whole of the land of the province in exchange for fixed annual payments of a somewhat higher total amount than that which they had previously collected for the Government. The immediate financial needs of the administration were thus met. But the cost was terrific. Not only was revenue sacrificed in the long run, but there resulted permanent hardship to the cultivators.

The revenue suffered because under British rule the value of the land subsequently multiplied itself many times over while the contribution is made to the Government remained to a large extent fixed. The cultivators were hurt because the ex-taxgatherers proved exceedingly grasping landlords.

Such popular discontent arose in the century which followed the arrangement that laws had to be passed in 1859, 1885, and 1898, progressively limiting the powers of the landlords.

Up to the present, opposition has defeated all attempts that have been made to reform the system fundamentally. Proposals for such reform are now to be made by a committee over which Sir Francis is to preside. The task is no easy one. But the existing system has proved so unsatisfactory that good will should wait upon this new effort to attune long-entrenched proprietary rights with the everyday welfare of the masses.

## Progress?

One is tempted to imagine a conversation between the shade of a reformer of a century ago and certain modern employers on the subject of child labour as introduced at the N.U.T. Easter conference with some remarkable examples, including that of a cinema boy working 84 hours a week. This last makes that "model employer" (in days when children were regarded as equal to almost any labour) Samuel Oldknow of Mellor-by-Stockport almost lenient to the "parish" labour which he employed. He worked the children only from six in the morning till seven in the evening, as against the five-to-eight regime of some factories; and he fed them well, too, so that it was a saying of the time that 'no one ever had owt to complain of at Mellor.'

But would not the reformers who in 1836 achieved the legal restriction against young persons between the ages of thirteen and eighteen having to work more than a twelve-hour day or a sixty-nine-hour week think it passing strange that it should be possible, after a century of "progress," to work children outside the Act for fifteen hours in a week longer than the maximum for those who came under the Act of a hundred years ago? Or that there should be in 1938 nearly 7,000 young persons in the London area alone working more than seventy-two hours a week? How fortunate that Lord Shaftesbury could never have anticipated progress of this kind!



# JAPANESE CONFESS SERIOUS CONCERN

## Endeavour To Minimise Losses In Great Flood Hectic Attempts To Stem Flow Ever Growing

Shanghai, To-day.

The Japanese yesterday gave the first evidence of their serious concern over the Yellow River floods, when they admitted that certain Japanese units had suffered losses as result of the flood waters.

They claimed, however, that losses had been small as the Japanese army, foreseeing the possibility of floods, was well equipped with shallow-draft boats.

Military observers here, however, doubtfully question the use of such craft to rescue artillery and tanks.

In addition to Japanese difficulties, Japanese aerial reports state that several thousand Chinese troops have been seen marooned in various villages south-east of Chengchow, with the waters gradually lapping closer.

Latest reports from the devastated area state that the rains continue and the water is increasing in both volume and speed.

### FOREIGN EFFORTS

Foreign missionaries at Kaifeng, of whom ten are British, have organised a corps of Chinese farmers and also guerillas, who now face a major natural calamity together, having forgotten the enmity of warfare and are co-operating frantically with the Japanese in repairing the dykes.

Magnitude of the task ahead is shown in news received yesterday that where the river pierced the dykes, it was formerly 40 feet high and 600 feet wide, while the bed of the river has silted up ten feet above the surrounding countryside. — Reuter.

### 300 SQUARE MILES UNDER WATER

Shanghai, To-day.

Laying aside national barriers, Japanese, Chinese and foreigners are battling side by side in the flooded plains of Honan to stem the Yellow River flood waters and to bring succour to 300,000 farmers who have been driven from their homes.

The inundated area is said to cover approximately 300 square miles, and in some places the water is said to be 14 feet deep.

Eighty foreign missionaries, representing various creeds, have organised an emergency committee to assist refugees.

In addition to arranging the housing and feeding of Chinese driven from their homes, they are also seeking to procure man power to assist in stemming the flow of water. — Reuter.

## U.S. SUPPLY OF WAR MATERIAL TO JAPAN

Washington, To-day.

Resentment of the peace organisations, which recently made representations to the State Department against American aid to the Japanese war machine, mounted yesterday in the light of latest export figures.

These figures showed United States exports of copper in April as totalling 78,000,000 lbs. in weight, of which approximately 32,000,000 went to Japan, 14,000

## ITALY AND CHAMBERLAIN DECISION

Rome, To-day.

The Italian press published in full Mr. Neville Chamberlain's speech in the House of Commons regarding the bombing of British shipping in Spanish ports.

Most papers welcome the fact that Britain is not taking measures which might compromise the Anglo-Italian Agreement. — Reuter.

000 to Britain and 5,000,000 to Germany.

The exports to Japan represent the highest figure yet of this essential war material. — Reuter.

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## MCCALL FOUND GUILTY

Miami, To-day.  
Franklin Pierce McCall was yesterday found guilty here of the kidnapping of "Skeegie" Cash. He will be sentenced to-day. — Reuter.

## VISIT TO GIB.

London, To-day.

Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Parliamentary Secretary to the Admiralty, returned to London yesterday after an official visit to Gibraltar. — Reuter.

# Yellow River May Find Natural New Channel

Hankow, To-day.

The flood waters of the Yellow River which crossed the Lunghai Railway on Sunday, have now entered the Chialu River, and are flowing south-eastward into the Kwai River, in Anhwei, according to Chinese despatches from Chengchow.

The waters are said to have passed Chengmou, Chuhsiencheng and Yushih, and to have reached Yenling, east of Hsuechang. The southern suburbs of Chungmou have been entirely inundated, forcing the Japanese to close the south gate of the city.

Level of the flood waters is said to be high at Kaifeng, where the Japanese are reported to have closed all the city gates to prevent the city from being flooded.

In most places, however, the flood waters are stated to be only about three to four feet high, so that casualties from drowning are believed to have been very small.

However, Japanese artillery and mechanised units are said to have been rendered useless.

### CLOSURE IMPOSSIBLE

Closure of the breaks in the Yellow River dykes is believed to be impossible for several months at least, and not until the water recedes in the winter.

On the other hand, many observers are of the opinion that the present flood may solve China's centuries-old problem, that of allowing the Yellow River to find a natural course, since the present course is artificially maintained with the river bed higher than the cities along its course.

Cities along the river are now comparatively deserted as result of the war, and this state of affairs affords an excellent chance for the river to find a natural course without causing a terrible death-roll. — Reuter.

## JAPANESE ACCUSATIONS AGAINST FRANCE

Tokyo, To-day.

A Foreign Office spokesman stated to-day that the Japanese Government had obtained unofficial information that a contract has been signed by Mr. T. L. Soong, brother of the Chinese Minister, Mr. T. V. Soong, and a French firm for the construction of a railway from Nanning, in the province of Kwangsi, to Yunnan and that another railway has been planned between Hanoi in French Indo-China and the province of Kwangsi.

The spokesman added that the Japanese Government had likewise been unofficially informed that in return for French assistance, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek had consented to grant economic concessions to France.

The spokesman stressed that if France supplied war material to Hankow, this must be regarded as an unfriendly act towards Japan. — Trans-Ocean.

and re-establishment of frontier control.

The reply of the Nationalist Government to the French protest on the subject of the flying over by Franco aeroplanes of Saint Jean de Luz a few days ago was also discussed, and it is stressed that the excuses tendered by the Burgos authorities have given full satisfaction in French official quarters. Satisfaction is likewise expressed here that negotiations between the Czecho-Slovak Government and the Sudeten German Party opened yesterday. — Trans-Ocean.

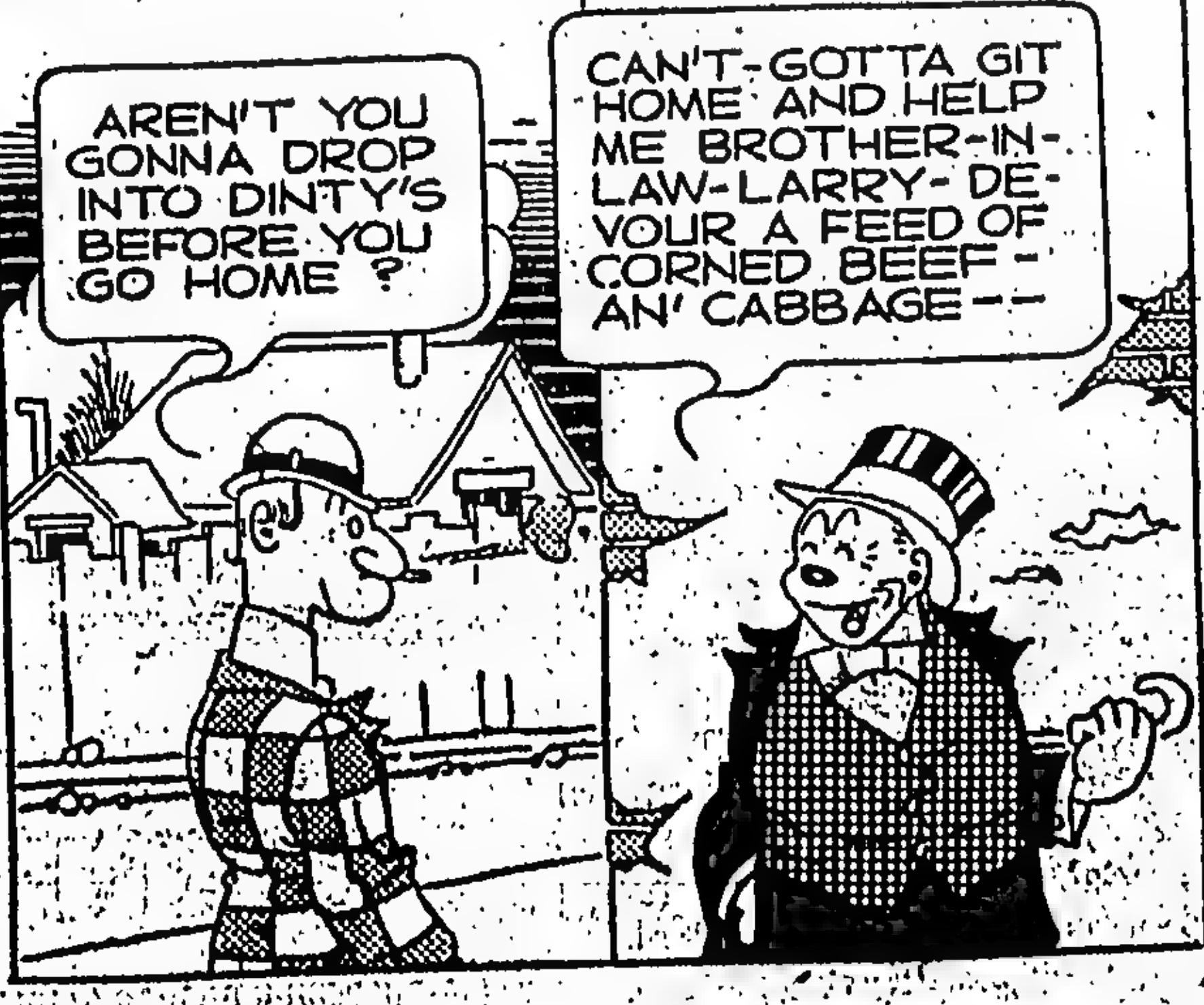
## DIPLOMATIC TALKS IN PARIS

Paris, To-day.

M. Bonnet received the British and American Ambassadors yesterday evening.

It is stated that M. Bonnet discussed with the British Ambassador, Sir Eric Phipps, the question of the rapid application of the measures envisaged by the British plan for repatriation of volunteers

## Bringing Up Father



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ious ceremony of the wedding of Princess Eugenie of Greece, cousin of King George of e Duchess of Kent, to Prince Radziwill of Poland, took place on May 30 at the church of St. alides. They met for the first time in Athens three months ago, at the wedding of Crown The bride and bridegroom with bridesmaids. (Copyright: By Air Mail).

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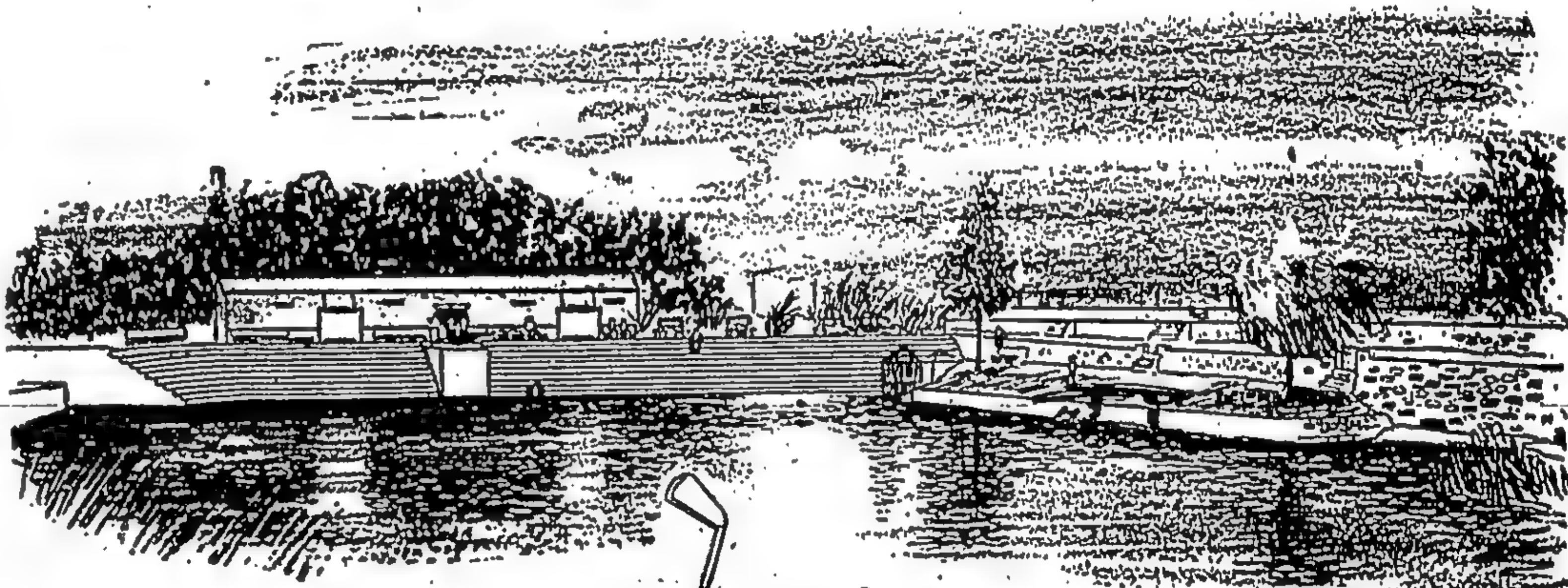
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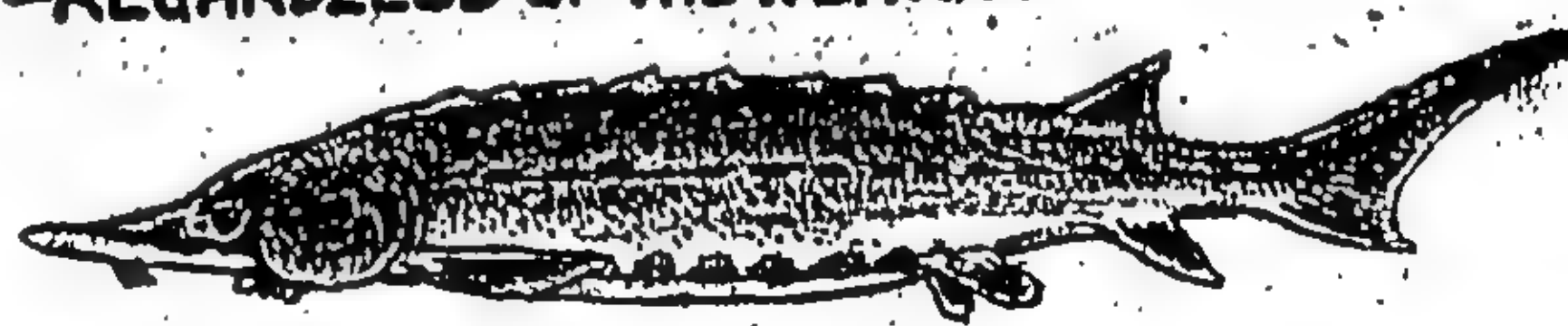
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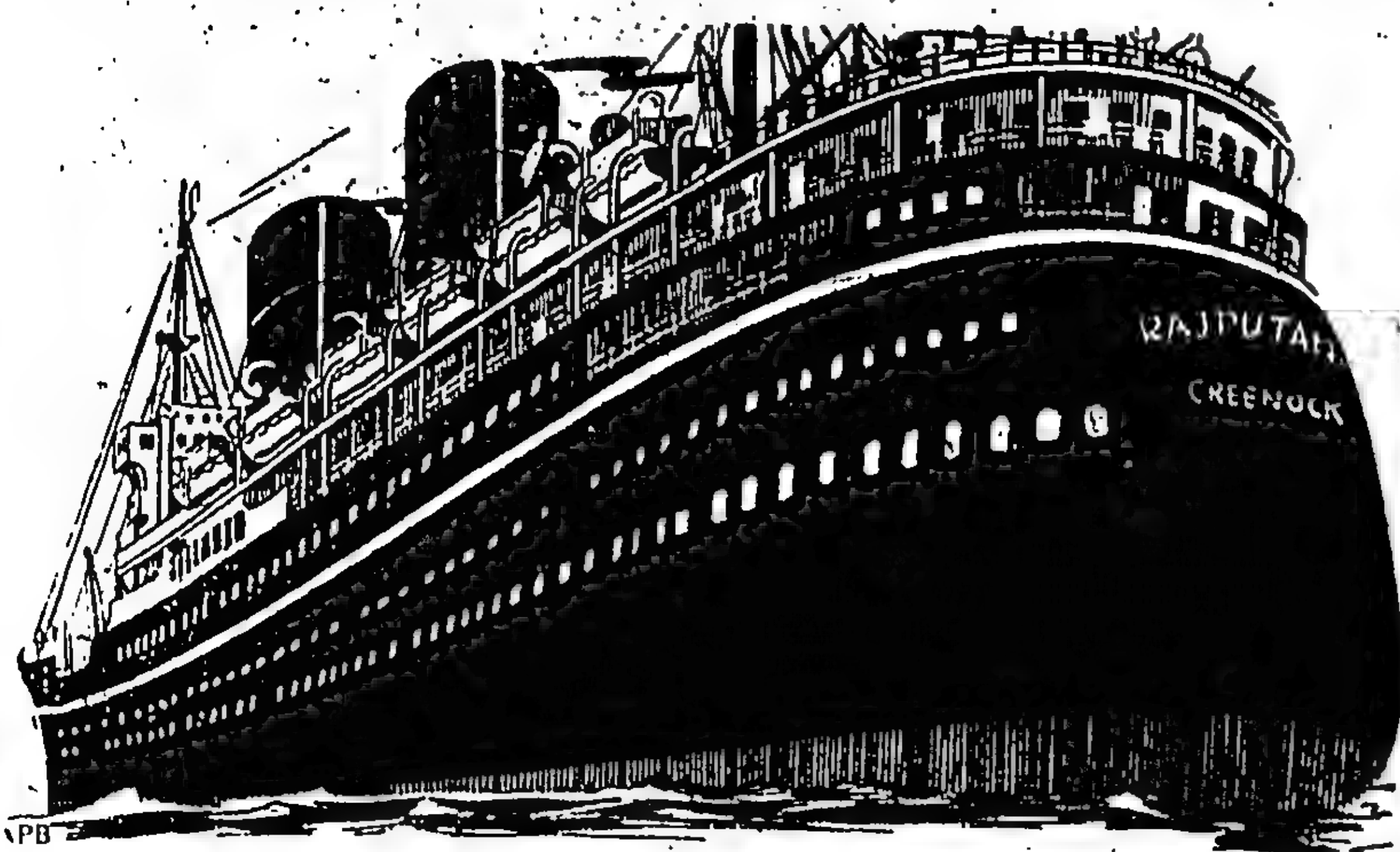


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RANPURA	17,000	23rd July	Bombay, Marseilles, & London.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	6th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles, & London.
*BANGALORE	6,000	13th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hull, Hamburg, Rotterdam, & Antwerp.
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Japan	Lisbon Maru	June 17.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 12th June.	Imperial Airways Plane	June 17.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., date 28th May)	Emp. of Canada	June 17.

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For	Per Thursday	Date and Time.
Hoihow	Hai Lee	June 16, 12.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).	Eurasia Plane	Thurs., June 16, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
Air Mail for Chungking (via Hankow) by the "C.N.A.C. Airways"	Reg.,	June 16, 4.30 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 16, 5 p.m.
	C.N.A.C. Plane	Thurs., June 16, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
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	Ord.,	June 16, 5 p.m.
Shanghai	Myrmidon	June 16, 12.30 p.m.
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Hupei	June 16, 4.30 p.m.
Bangkok	Ngow Hock	June 16, 4.30 p.m.
Saigon, *Straits and Calcutta	Yuen Sang	Thurs., June 16, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
	Parcels	June 16, 2 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 16, 3 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 23rd June.	Imperial Airways Plane	June 16, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
	Reg.,	June 16, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 16, 5 p.m.
*Manila, Australia and New Zealand Changte via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 23th June.	Thurs.,	June 17, G.P.O. & K.P.O.
	Parcels,	June 16, 5 p.m.
	Reg.,	June 17, 8.45 a.m.
	Ord.,	June 17, 9.30 a.m.
	Friday	
Kongmoon	On Lee	June 17, 10 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kaying	June 17, Noon.
Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *Europe via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 11th July—and *Europe via Sigeria.	Pres. McKinley	Fri., June 17, G.P.O. & K.P.O.
	Par.,	June 17, 1 p.m.
	Reg.,	June 17, 2.45 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 17, 3.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	June 17, 3 p.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 28th June.	Hakone Maru	Fri., June 17, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
	Reg.,	June 17, 4 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 17, 4.30 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	June 17, 4.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East & *South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 17th July.	Hakone Maru	Fri., June 17, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
	Reg.,	June 17, 4.15 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 17, 5 p.m.
*Straits and *Europe via Marseilles Burdwan—due Marseilles, 20th July.	Sat.,	June 18, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
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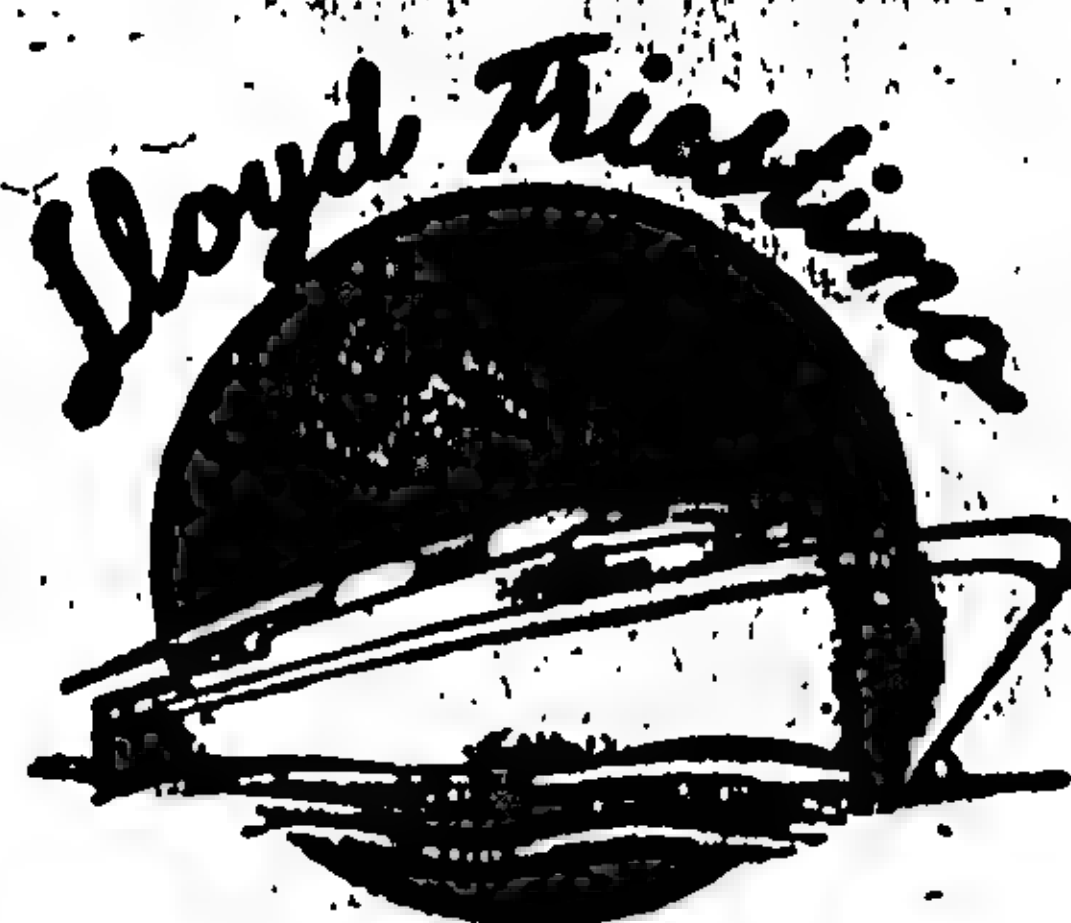
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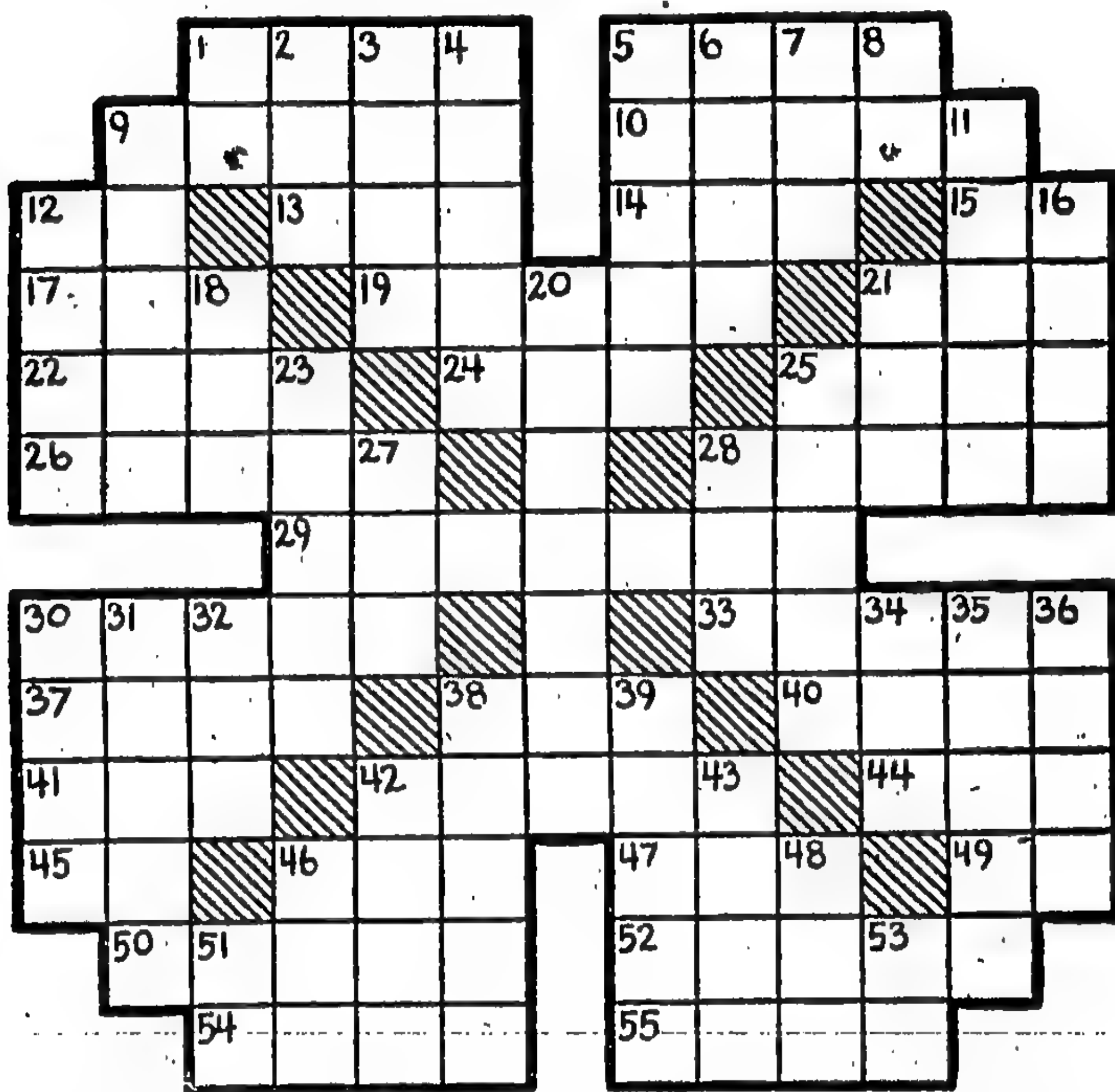
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21—Unit  
22—At any time  
24—The sea-god (abbr.)  
25—A cereal  
26—A title (Sp.)  
28—Affected with uneasiness  
29—Feign  
30—Ventures  
33—Taut  
37—Greek war-god  
39—Attempt  
40—Observed  
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- 42—Liberated  
44—Marry  
45—Plural suffix  
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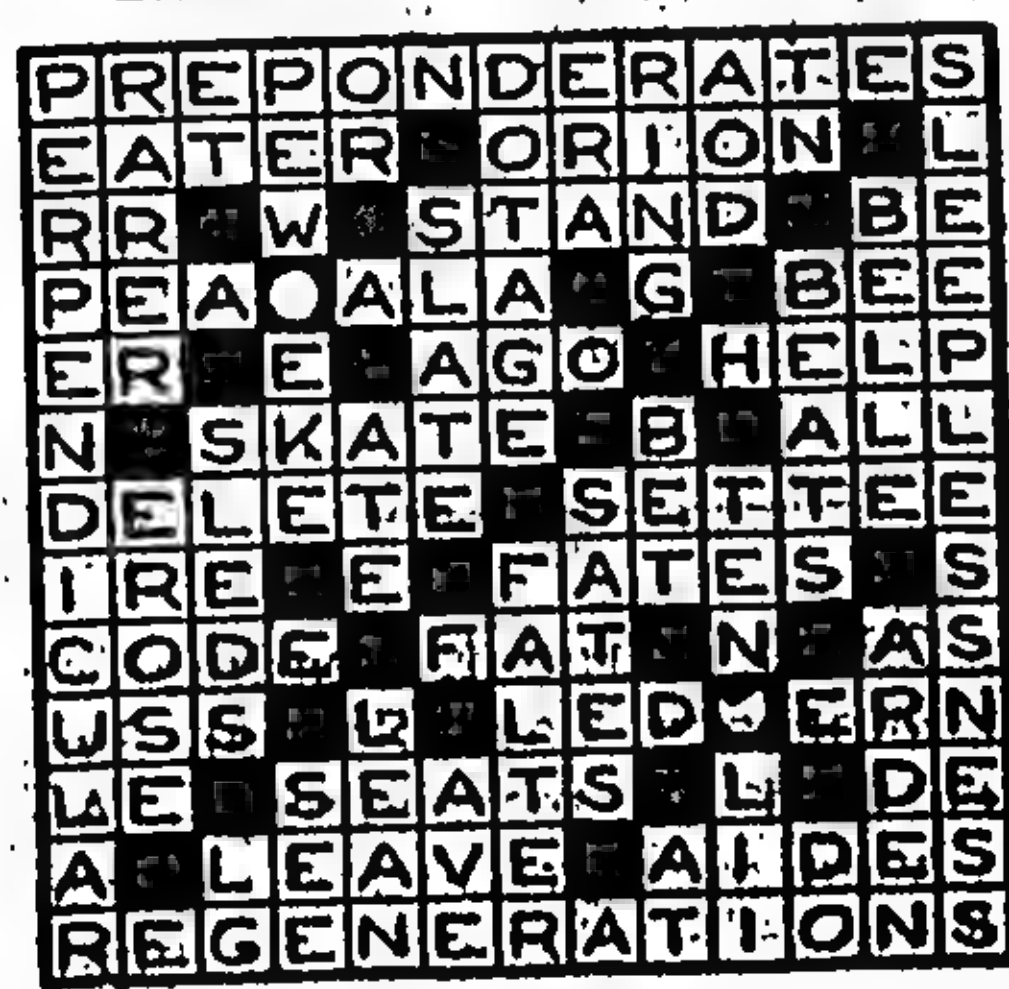
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- 1—Into  
2—June-bug  
3—Verbal  
4—A citrus fruit  
5—Wool-bearing animal  
6—A fruit  
7—Cleverness  
8—Act  
9—To work out  
11—One slow at learning

## VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 12—Golf mounds  
16—Plant  
18—Be cognizant of  
20—Dare  
21—Grease  
23—Thick cords  
25—Traverses in a car  
27—Railroads (abbr.)  
28—An insect  
30—Valley  
31—Ascend  
32—Crimson  
34—Recent  
35—Slumbers  
36—Terminates  
38—Corners  
39—Ingredient in bread  
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43—Eat  
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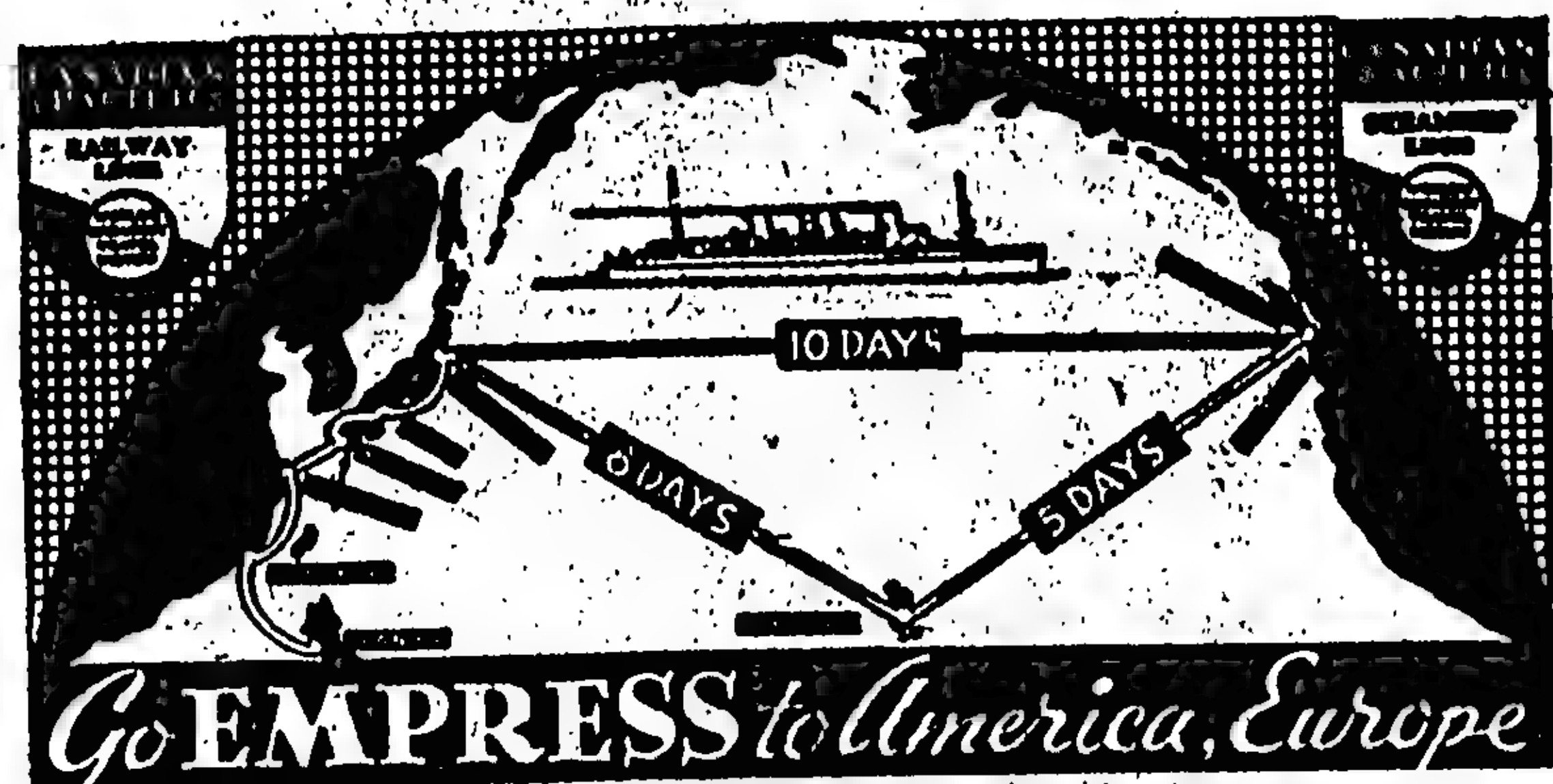
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## ARTISTS' PROTEST AGAINST BOMBING

At the meeting recently convened to hear Mr. Jack Chen's outline of the scheme of the Chinese Artists' Federation, the Hongkong Working Artists' Guild was requested to act as the local centre.

A meeting of the Guild's Executive Committee was held a few days ago to draft a suitable scheme, and it is intended to call a meeting of all artists at an early date, probably next week.

It was not thought advisable to clash with the meeting of protest organised by the League of Nations Union for this afternoon, but one of the objects of the Federation will be to protest against the destruction of cultural centres.

The Dean has kindly offered the use of the Cathedral Hall for an Exhibition at an early rate in aid of Refugee relief funds.

## INTERESTING LIFE SAVING DEMONSTRATION

### Swim-Social At "Y" Pool

A brave attempt to start the season with a Swim-Social was made by the Swimming Section, of the European Y.M.C.A., last night, when swimmers easily outnumbered spectators in a small but enjoyable programme.

It was a pity that there were not many more spectators as a very interesting demonstration of the rescue and release methods of the Royal Life Saving Society was given by six members of the 1st Battalion the Middlesex Regiment, under the direction of Inspector R. J. Hunt, the well-known local Examiner of the Society, who gave a short introduction on the subject before the demonstration commenced.

The following six members of the Middlesex Regiment gave a demonstration of the Royal Life Saving Society's methods in rescue and release: L/Cpl. Ure, L/Cpl. Plummer, L/Cpl. Miller, Privates Nelms, Draper and Pike.

Results of the gala events were:

Men's 50 Yards Free-style Scratch:  
1. R. B. Wood, 2. J. Low, and 3. L. Greening.

Ladies' 25 Yards Scratch:  
1. Miss Wood, 2. Miss D. Hunt, and 3. Miss E. Hunt.

75 Yards Medley Relay:  
Won by the Moderates (R. B. Wood, R. Goldman, and F. Ashford).

Diving for Plates:  
1. A. May (9 plates), 2. Miller (7 plates), and 3. Nelms (6 plates).

Candle Novelty Race:  
Won by A. May, and Miss D. Hunt.

## LAWN BOWLS TEAMS FOR SATURDAY

Kowloon Dock

A. M. Calman, J. Revie, H. G. Cooper, and J. McKelvie (skip).

W. Houston, M. Ferguson, J. V. Ramsay, and J. C. Brown (skip).

T. Mason, J. Kempton, T. Coleman, and F. Cullen (skip).

K.F.C.

A. Eastman, C. Champelovier, V. Petherick, and T. Ferguson (skip).

J. Dobson, J. Smalley, V. Chittenden, and J. Gibson (skip).

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H.K.E.R.C.

J. R. Way, J. F. Hadley, S. Deacon, and W. H. B. Muskett (skip).

J. F. Barron, G. G. S. Thomson, G. T. Padgett, and L. De Rome (skip).

A. Tarbuck, R. C. Butler, W. Stoker, and A. F. Paul (skip).

## GERMAN JIBE AT BRITISH COLONIAL METHODS

Berlin, To-day.

Inspired by the British Secretary of State for Colonies, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald's statements on the colonial situation and events in Palestine, the German "Diplomatic Political Correspondence" which often is used to express the views of the German Foreign Office seizes the opportunity to point out the alleged shortcomings in the British colonial and mandate system and to suggest that Italy's methods in Abyssinia or the new National Socialist colonial theory of keeping races separate but supporting all according to their nature habitat and social needs, might lead to better results.

Numerous incidents and riots in Jamaica indicate that a correct attitude towards the natives has been lacking and that child labour and starvation wages which lead to undernourishment and epidemics are still awaiting correction.

The situation in Jamaica alone, the journal declares, is sufficient to prove that nation takes a pride in calling itself the world's oldest and foremost colonising state must examine and revise its methods.—Trans-Ocean.

## INQUIRY WELCOMED

Barbados, To-day.

Both Houses yesterday approved the statement made by Mr. Malcolm MacDonald in the House of Commons in London that a Royal Commission be appointed to investigate labour conditions in the West Indies.

The representative of the sugar workers of British Guiana, who are on strike, yesterday held conversations with the Labour Commissioner at Georgetown to discuss steps for settlement of the strike. —Reuter.

## LOCAL SHARE

Following is the list of changes and enquiries in local share quotations this morning:—

### BANKS

Hong Kong Bank \$1440 sa.  
DOCKS, WHARVES, GODOWNS, ETC.

H. K. Docks (Old) \$18 sa.  
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Providents (New) \$3 s.

### MINING

Venz: Goldfield \$3 b.  
Antamoks Ps. 43½ sa.  
Baguio Gold Ps. 22½ sa.  
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Consolidated Mines Ps. .0035 sa.  
Demonstrations Ps. .30 sa.  
I. X. L. Ps. .70 sa.

San Mauricio Ps. 47 sa.

Suyoc Consol. Ps. 16½ sa.

United Paracales Ps. 31½ sa.

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H. K. Tramways \$16½ b.

Peak Trams (Old) \$6½ b.

Macao Electrics \$18 sa.

STORES, & C.

Watsons \$6 sa.

MISCELLANEOUS

Entertainments \$6.40 b.

H. K. Govt. 3½% Loans 3% pm. b.

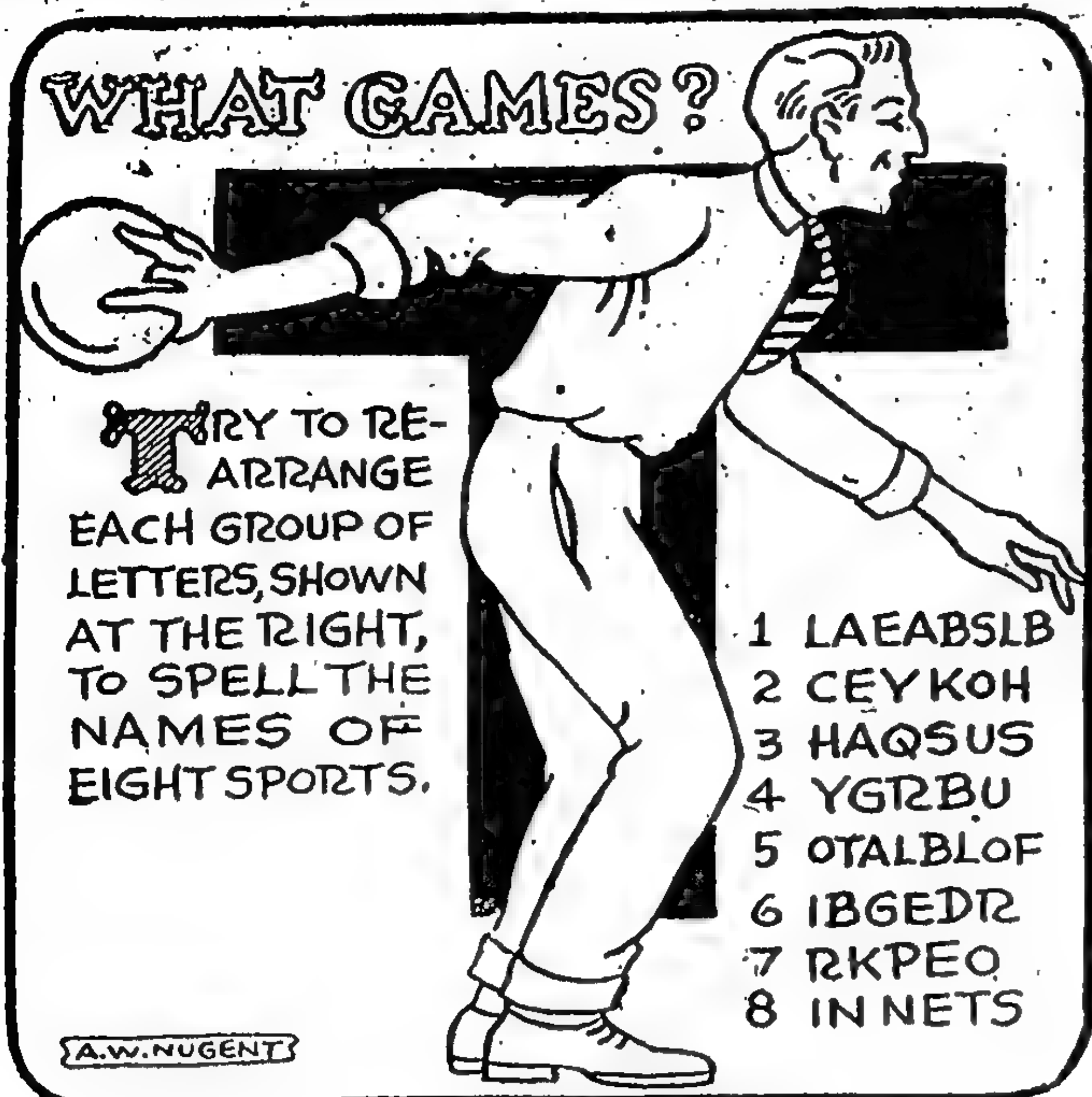
China Prov. (Old) \$6 b., \$6 sa.

China Prov. (New) \$6 s.

Rev. C.B.R. Sargent, headmaster of the Diocesan Boys' School, has reported that a messenger, Ah Fung, who was yesterday given \$135 in notes to change into small coins, absconded with the money.



## CHILDREN'S PUZZLE



TRY TO RE-ARRANGE EACH GROUP OF LETTERS, SHOWN AT THE RIGHT, TO SPELL THE NAMES OF EIGHT SPORTS.

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- 2 CEYKOH
- 3 HAQSUS
- 4 YGRBU
- 5 OTALBLOF
- 6 IBGEDR
- 7 RKPEO
- 8 IN NETS

Answer to-morrow.

## COLOURING CONTEST



Colour this picture and win guest tickets to see the RKO Radio picture, "Hawaii Calls," in which Bobby Breen is the star. Saturday, June 17, is the closing date, and two tickets will be awarded to each of the three efforts adjudged the best. Entries should be sent to RKO Radio Pictures of China, Asia Life Building, 2nd floor. CLOSING DATE, SATURDAY.

## BRITISH TRADE TURNOVER

London, To-day.

Exports of United Kingdom goods in May were valued at £38,164,810, compared with £37,266,307 in April and £42,732,641 in May, 1937. Value of imports for those same periods was £76,393,773, £73,679,570 and £83,173,412.

Re-exports amounted to £7,177,179, against £5,010,521 the month before and £7,392,694 a year ago. For the first five months of the year, exports show a decrease of £10,551,450 over the corresponding period of last year, and amounted to £196,306,298. Imports are £1,817,378 less than a year ago at £393,427,311, and re-exports at £27,982,617 show a fall of £5,478,342.

Of the decrease of nearly £8,000,000 in the value of imports in May, compared with May 1937, over £5,000,000 is in respect of raw materials and notably of raw cotton and wool.

Cotton and woollen manufactures were also the principal exports showing a decline in value,

## T.T. RACE

The Standard-Vacuum Oil Company, yesterday received the following cable from London:—"Isle of Man Junior Tourist Trophy race: First, Stanley Woods Velocette 84.08 miles per hour, record lap 85.80 miles per hour. Used Gascoyle Mobiloil R."

## LOCAL DOLLAR

The demand rate on the Hong Kong dollar this morning was 1/2-27/32.

"Spot" silver was quoted in London yesterday at 18 7/8 and forward at 18 3/4.

The London on New York rate was quoted at £-U.S.\$4.97 1/2 and New York on London at £-U.S.\$4.96 7/8.

against which there was a considerable increase in value of machinery exported.—British Wireless.

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## GERMAN'S JUNIOR T.T. TRIUMPH

Achieves Fastest Lap Ever

Isle of Man, To-day.

A German, Herr Kluge, riding a DKW, yesterday won the Lightweight Tourist Trophy motor-cycle classic here.

He led throughout and covered the course of 264 miles in 3 hours, 21 minutes and 56 seconds, at an average speed of 73.48 miles per hour.

Kluge averaged 80.35 miles per hour over the second lap which is the fastest speed ever achieved in the Lightweight event.

At the end of the race the Nazi flag and a laurel wreath were hung over Kluge's number scoreboard.

Ginger Wood, riding an Excelsior, was second, the Manxman's time being 3 hours 33 minutes, 5 seconds, at an average speed of 74.39 miles per hour, while another Manxman, Tyrell-Smith, was third, also on an Excelsior, his time be-

## PRO. GOLFERS' LEAGUE TOURNAMENT

Gadd And R. Whitcome Share The Lead

Sandy Lodge, To-day.

The Sixth series of professional golf matches, on League lines, was held here yesterday and at the end of the day's play, Bert Gadd and Reginald Whitcombe led with 10 points each, Percy Alliss and Richard Burton being second with eight points each.

Yesterday's results were:

Henry Cotton beat Alfred Padgham

4 up and 3 to play.

Bert Gadd beat Abe Mitchell 5 up

and 4 to play.

Charles Whitcombe beat Percy Alliss

2 up and 1 to play.

W. J. Branch beat P. J. Mahon 3 up

and 2 to play.

Reginald Whitcombe beat S. L. King

5 up and 3 to play.

Richard Burton beat A. J. Lacey 2

up and 1 to play.—Reuter.

ing 3 hours 35 minutes 16 seconds, at an average speed of 73.62 miles per hour.

There were 30 starters to the classic, the start being delayed for two hours owing to poor visibility on the Mountain Road.—Reuter.



# POLICE HAD BEST WIN THE DAY

## BUT CRAIGENGOWER GIVEN BIG FRIGHT

### Good Standard Of Bowls In Second Division

#### R. F. LUZ REGAINS HIS FORM

(By "SKIP")

THE outstanding result in last Saturday's Lawn Bowls League programme was the excellent victory which the Police secured against Kowloon Dock, at Hung Hom. The latter appeared to have quite a useful team out, but went down on two rinks, J. C. Brown's severe trouncing at the hands of Ted Post being the second biggest defeat of the day.

Although Kowloon Cricket Club could not quite make the grade against Craigengower, they gave the latter some anxious moments, and it is quite conceivable that had they been at full strength, they would have caused another upset for Teddy Fincher was 13 to the good against U. M. Omar.

Both Club de Recreio and Kowloon Bowling Green Club won their home matches, as anticipated, the former sharing with Craigengower the honours of the day and both clubs securing triple wins.

Taikoo did well to beat the Hong Kong Football Club "A" at Quarry Bay, whilst Craigengower swamped Civil Servants to score the biggest win of the afternoon.

In the Third Division, the local "Derby" between the Kowloon Cricketers and their Footballing friends ended, as was to be expected, in a victory for the latter. The Electricians just managed to keep the points at Ming Yuen, where Kowloon Tong provided the opposition.

#### A FINAL BURST

On the Kowloon Dock's excellent green, the game was very even until about the last five ends, when Police R. C. scored no less than 24 shots to their opponent's 5, a remarkable transition. J. C. Brown was always trailing some distance behind Ted Post, and after the first three ends was never within 8 or ten shots of his adversary, and finished up with a minority of 18. McLeod, as lead for the Police, played a remarkable game and it would be no exaggeration to say that half his woods were touchers!

The following ones made the most of this excellent start and gave the homesters very little opportunity to score, and certainly none to secure a big count.

It was strange that I should express the opinion that Joe Carey was up to First Division standard, as he was promoted last week and more than justified the confidence placed in him, by overcoming Jock McKelvie, thanks mainly to a five-count towards the finish of their game.

The loser actually scored on more heads than his visitor, but on one of his heads no less than 9 scores were singletons, Fender was able to turn out again after a week's absence and his presence was made felt. Glen Cooper had Wally Mair "on toast" until just about tea, when the latter pulled up quite considerably to be only five down, thus counter-balancing Carey's win by the same number.

#### THREE ABSENTEES

Craigengower were unfortunate in not having the services of A. E. Coates for their match against Kowloon Cricket Club, but things were more than evened up by the enforced absence of both Silkstone and Bob Craig from the visitors'

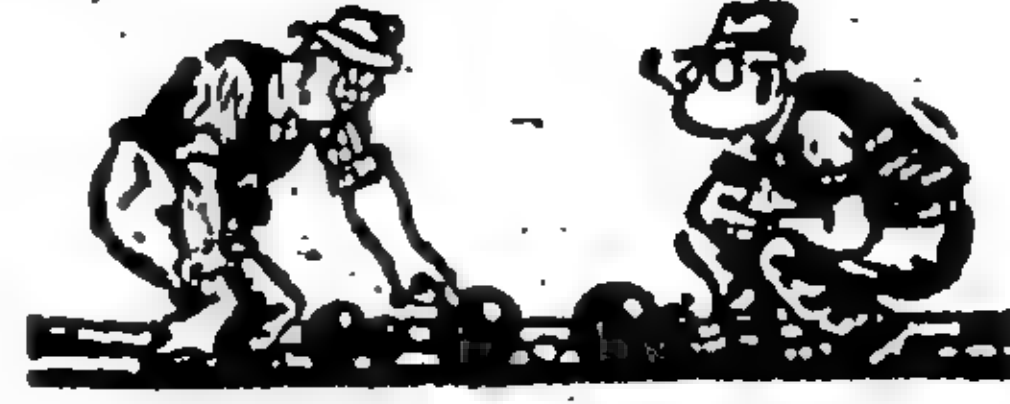
ranks, both being slightly indisposed.

Arthur Dand filled the vacancy by the former, and it must be said did not weaken the rink as evidenced by the fact that, ably skipped by Fincher, they were able to overcome U. M. Omar by over a dozen shots.

The least said of the Craigengower players the better, except that it was unfortunate that they should with the exception of Gomes, strike a bad patch on the same day. It must be many a long day since "U. M." had three fives scored against him in any kind of match, which gives an indication of the rinks' standard of play.

Dick Basa, drawn against Kern, was just able to score a narrow victory against a rink which lacked cohesion. Mulcahy was a good Kowloon-lead and held Landolt for the most part, but lower down the position was not so favourable and Kern seemed to miss the calm steady play of his regular third man, Bob Craig.

Bradbury was always having the better of Jimmy Hyde's rink, and



having run into a lead of 16 shots, retained it until the close finish of the game. With 3 heads to go on this rink, (the other rinks having finished) Kowloon Cricket Club required four to tie. In a debatable 19th head, Jimmy Hyde had a possibility of a comparatively big count, but playing the opposite hand to the one which appeared to have a greater chance of success, he just failed and Craigengower secured a singleton. The visitors scored a couple on the penultimate head only for the Craigengower team to respond similarly. Bradbury was masterly in his play and although it is true he had very useful support, it can be fairly said that he won the match for his Club.

#### LUZ BACK ON FORM

Club de Recreio had a comfortable 15 shots to spare against Civil Service, at King Park, Luz coming right back to his best Interport form to beat McGowan by 10 shots, thanks mainly to a great spell after tea during which he scored as many as 15 shots in the time it takes to play five heads.

L. F. Xavier was again uncanny

### "SKIP'S" FORECAST FOR SATURDAY

#### FIRST DIVISION

Civil Service ..... (63)	v	Kowloon B.G.C. .... (51)
Kowloon C.C. .... (57)	v	Kowloon Docks ..... (52)
Craigengower ..... (78)	v	Club de Recreio ..... (48)
Police R.C. .... (—)	v	*Indian R.C. .... (—)

#### SECOND DIVISION

Kowloon B.G.C. .... (—)	v	*Civil Service ..... (—)
Taikoo Dock ..... (44)	v	Craigengower ..... (—)
Club de Recreio ..... (—)	v	Football Club "B" ..... (—)
Police R.C. .... (—)	v	†Football Club "A" ..... (—)

#### THIRD DIVISION

Kowloon Football Club ..... (70)	v	Craigengower ..... (48)
Hong Kong Football Club ... (—)	v	†Kowloon C.C. .... (—)
Yacht Club ..... (54)	v	Kowloon Tong ..... (57)
H.K. Electric ..... (63)	v	Club de Recreio ..... (58)

\* Indicates a promoted team.

† Indicates a relegated team.

Figures in brackets denote the scores in corresponding match last season.

### "REVIEWER'S" SPORTS COMMENTARY

#### Told To Carry On After Game Was Won

"One more wanted," shouted some one from the score box at Frome on May 31 when Somerset thought, quite rightly as it happened, that Kinnersley had made the winning hit against Northants.

The players, who were making for the pavilion, resumed their positions, the balls were replaced, and Lyon hit the first ball of Buswell's new over to the boundary.

So ended a remarkable game in which Northants, at one stage threatened with an innings defeat, pulled the match round to such an extent that they nearly hit the headlines by winning their first match since May, 1935.

Somerset required only 61 runs to win, but collapsed so badly that half the side were out for 30. They finally won by three wickets.

#### Derby Forecast Pool Pays Dividend Of £181

£10,459 2s. 7d. was taken on the Racecourse Betting Control Board's Derby forecast pool, and the winning dividend on Bois Roussel, the winner, and Scottish Union, the second, was £181.

There were 52 bets which nominated the correct forecast, 12 being made when the price of tickets was 2s. 6d., 28 at 5s., and 12 when the price was 10s. The dividend is paid per winning unit irrespective of the price of the ticket.

#### British Rugby Tour Of South Africa

Commander S. F. Cooper, secretary of the Rugby Football Union, announced on June 1 that V. G. J. Jenkins (London Welsh and Wales) had been appointed vice-captain of the British team, which is to tour South Africa.

A letter from Madeira states that already a committee has been appointed, consisting of Major B. C. Hartley, hon. manager; Mr. H. A. Haigh Smith, assistant hon. manager; S. Walker (Ireland) (captain), V. G. J. Jenkins (Wales) (vice-captain), E. J. Unwin (England), and J. A. Waters (Scotland). Unwin and Waters were co-opted to form the committee.

#### Sweden Beaten When Schroeder Scratches

Yugoslavia won their quarter-finals Davis Cup tie against Sweden at Zagreb, on May 31, when the Swedish No. 1 player, K. Schroeder scratched owing to an injured foot and the first of the day's reverse singles matches was awarded to his opponent, F. Puncer.

In the final match J. Pallada (Yugoslavia) beat N. Rohlsson (Sweden), 7-5, 7-5, 6-1, making the result of the tie 4-1 in Yugoslavia's favour.

Yugoslavia, who beat Great Britain in the second round, will meet Belgium in the semi-final on July 22, 23, and 24.

#### Armstrong After Light-Weight Title Now

Henry Armstrong, the negro fighter, who defeated Barney Ross to win the World Welter-Weight Championship on June 1, will have the opportunity of realising his ambition of being a triple champion when he meets Lou Ambers, the holder, for the Light-Weight Championship of the World on July 28, according to an announcement by Mike Jacobs, the Madison Square Garden promoter.

Armstrong is also Feather-Weight Champion of the World. The fight for the Light-Weight Championship will take place in New York, probably at the Long Island Bowl.

#### NO BREAKS THIS SEASON

Sam Randle has had no breaks this season and although playing well enough himself, has not yet been able to pull his rink through. He had a difficult job on hand against F. X. Silva and put up an excellent fight.

The Portuguese skip, ably backed up by his name sake "C. G.", was

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# Bradman's Seventh Century



## Lawn Bowls

(Continued from Page 18)

in deadly form, whilst Jackie Noronha was steady to brilliant throughout.

Johnny Ribeiro gave an improved display and was usually superior to Deakin, who like Simmonds, the third man, has not yet really found his touch this season.

### DALLAH OFF FORM

Lines' rink scored the largest win of the day by being 19 shots up on Dallah, who has rarely played such a poor game, although it must be said in fairness to the winners, that even had he been at the top of his form, they would still have won as they were always out-playing the opposition.

The rink played well to a man, a remark which applies to Bob Duncan's four, in a lesser degree especially after the halfway stage, when they were down a couple. From then onwards, they chalked up 16 points with a reply of only a couple. Hoosen, as lead to Minu, played a brilliant game and was the equal of John Watson, whilst until he appeared to be upset by something or other, Minu the skip, was also very sound.

Arculli was the best of the eight in his match against Meyer and on his display alone was well worth his victory. Norman was ahead of Khan as lead, whilst Wahab, though having a poor idea of weight, was always improving the position for his side, frequently connecting forcibly with the jack when the opposing lead was lying the shot. Hall was better than Abbas and scored some beautiful points, whilst Arculli was always there, driving or drawing well at the critical time.

### UNUSUAL INCIDENT

An unusual incident occurred in the Second Division match between Hong Kong Football Club "B" team and Kowloon Bowling Green Club, at the Vally, as Frank Haynes, skipping against Ted Thompson, became ill towards the end of the game, and although still able to bowl, appeared to be slightly dizzy.

Leading at one time his rink seemed to go to pieces and scoring a couple of fives in the last two heads, the visiting four secured the only win for their side, a useful one of 12 shots.

Both Drake and Armstrong were down half-a-dozen each, a tie therefore resulting. Drake's two leading men were right off their game and although Waterton gave more support than has been the case in the past few weeks, it was Drake who was the saviour of the side, and only good play on the part of Tuck gave his rink the victory, as he was steadiness personified.

### SPECTACULAR GAME

Jake Selby played a spectacular game to secure the advantage over Tommy Armstrong, six in the last three heads turning the game in his favour and enabling the side to tie.

F. X. Soares jumped to the top of the Skips' table with a big win against Orem, of the Police, who took over the berth vacated by Carey, on the latter's promotion. The Portuguese rinks were too strong all round and Gutierrez laid the foundation for victory by outshining Wally Glendenning, as

## Australians Score 397 Against The Gentlemen

### Meyer Takes 5 Wickets For 66 Runs

#### SOME CLOSE OF PLAY SCORES

The Australians, following their huge scores against some of the County sides and the Universities, made an inauspicious start against the Gentlemen of England, at Lord's yesterday, when they were dismissed for 397 runs.

Don Bradman added another century to his long list, scoring 104 runs in an entertaining display which lasted 110 minutes during which he scored 13 boundaries.

In 12 innings he has scored seven centuries on the present tour. Stan McCabe, one of the heroes of the first Test match, scored 79 while Chipperfield had 51.

R.J.O. Meyer, the Somersetshire all-rounder, maintained a very fine length through the match and had 5 wickets for 66 runs.

The Gentlemen had lost two wickets for only 23 runs when stumps were drawn for the day.

#### CLOSE OF PLAY SCORES

Other close of play scores yesterday were:

At Cardiff.  
Yorkshire: 348.  
Glamorgan: 8 for 0.

At Bristol.  
Gloucestershire: 309.  
Middlesex: 48 for 2.

At Portsmouth.  
Hampshire: 318.  
Derbyshire: 160 for 2.

lead. J. J. Basto and George Moss had a close tussle with honours going to the visitor, whilst "B. B." just managed to beat Booker, who was right off his game.

### TAIKOO CAUSE SURPRISE

The Taikoo team certainly surprised me by trouncing the Hong Kong Football Club's First team so handsomely. Dick Keown was always beating Jack Rodger, whose four must have been off form to have two sixes (in succession) and a five scored against them. Walter Gill, in spite of counting on 13 ends, could only tie with Stainton, whilst Munro had a useful victory over Brooksbank.

The Craigengower rinks were over all over the Civil Servants, with Jack Cavanagh scoring the biggest win in opposition to Syd Eccleshall. Marcus Sousa had nearly a dozen to spare against Hillyer, but Cook put up a good fight to lose by only 4 to Medina.

### COUVERT WINS HUNT CUP

London, To-day.

The Royal Hunt Cup which was run yesterday was won by Couvert, with Cliff Richards in the saddle, by half a length from Galsonia, ridden by Maher. Carlisle, Sprague up, was third, one and a half lengths behind.

Twenty-nine ran. The betting was 100 to 8 Couvert, 18 to 1 Galsonia and 20 to 1 Carlisle. — Reuter.

## UPSETS FEATURE ASCOT MEET

### Solar Flower Turns The Tables

London, To-day.

Things at the Ascot meeting went better for the bookmakers in the last three races yesterday, the Oaks winner, Rockfel, starting as a 6 to 4 favourite, ran unplaced in the Coronation Stakes, while Sir Alfred Butt's Solar Flower (Gordon Richards) which ran second in the Oaks, turned the tables to give Frank Butters, the trainer, the "hat-trick," with Dhoni and Foroughi taking second and third places.

The Bessborough Stakes went to Ireland, Sir Percy Lorraine's Spot Barred, starting at 100 to 8, beating Mr. James Rank's Black Speck, which starting as 9 to 4 favourite, lost by a head.

Lord Portman's Knight's Armour, backed at 7 to 4, won the Fernhill Stakes, beating Lord Portman's Lohengrin, backed at 20 to 1, by a short head.

H. H. the Aga Khan's Mirza, which started as 6 to 5 favourite, only secured third place, being three quarters of a length behind. — Reuter.

## "B" DIVISION TENNIS WIN FOR K.C.C.

### UNIVERSITY TROUNCE INDIANS

A very close encounter was witnessed in the "B" Division of the Lawn Tennis League yesterday, at Chater Road, where Kowloon Cricket Club beat Hong Kong Cricket Club by the odd set in nine.

### OPEN PAIRS LAWN BOWLS RESULTS

F. Machado and F. X. da Silva experienced little difficulty in beating B. Bostock and A. B. Allan in an Open Pairs bowls championship match, on the Police green, yesterday, winning by 38 shots to 14.

The winners scored on 15 of the 21 heads, in the course of which they obtained a five, a four and many threes. At one time the losers were being led 38 shots to 6.

At Kowloon Dock E. W. Lines and R. Duncan beat W. Carr and W. Mulcahy 24 shots to 19.

At the Indian Recreation Club, G. Duncan and W. Gill beat J. Hyde and H. Overy 32 shots to 6.

E. Blum and F. Grose were the most successful of the visiting pairs and won all three of their encounters, while R. E. Lee and D. J. N. Anderson won two of their matches to clinch the issue.

The Hong Kong University provided unexpected opposition in their "B" Division encounter with the Indian Recreation Club, at Pokfulam, and won by 9 clear sets.

Yesterday's scores were:—

J. J. Ferguson and E. E. Storey (H.K.C.C.)	2-6
lost to E. Blum and F. Grose	2-6
beat H. I. Januszowski and W. Miller	6-3
lost to R. E. Lee and D. J. N. Anderson	5-7
A. C. I. Bowker and B. O'M. Deane (H.K.C.C.)	4-8
lost to Blum and Grose	4-8
beat Januszowski and Miller	3-6
lost to Lee and Anderson	3-6
W. Barton and T. C. Monaghan (H.K.C.C.)	5-7
lost to Blum and Grose	5-7
beat Januszowski and Miller	6-2
beat Lee and Anderson	6-4

### 'VARSITY'S EASY WIN

At Pokfulam, University beat Indian Recreation Club 9 sets to 0 in the "B" Division of the Lawn Tennis League. S. Wong and S. H. Ling (H. K. U. T. C.) beat A. Rahmin and A. R. Kitchell 7-5, beat S. A. Ismail and J. S. A. Curroom 6-2, beat M. R. Abbas and A. R. Suffiad 6-1, H. N. Lee and P. C. Lee (H. K. U. T. C.) beat Rahmin and Kitchell 6-2, beat Ismail and Curroom 6-1, beat Abbas and Suffiad 6-2, H. P. Ong and Y. C. Lau (H. K. U. T. C.) beat Rahmin and Kitchell 7-5, beat Ismail and Curroom 6-3, beat Abbas and Suffiad 6-3.



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# Lawn Bowls Teams For Saturday

## FIRST DIVISION

The following are the First Division Lawn Bowls teams for Saturday:—

**K.B.G.C.**  
H. L. Lockhart, A. T. Lay, L. A. R. Duncan and T. Armstrong (Skip).  
E. V. Searle, H. E. Drew, R. P. Phillips and G. E. F. Thompson (Skip).  
E. A. Atkins, J. Watson, D. W. Waterton and W. S. Drake (Skip).

**K.C.C.**  
V. C. Labrum, W. Mulcahy, R. Craig and E. Kern (Skip).  
A. E. Silkstone, F. A. Madar, H. Overly and E. C. Fincher (Skip).  
A. Dand, A. W. Smith, W. Hyde and J. Hyde (Skip).

**P.R.C.**  
W. Mc. Leod, C. Dowman, W. E. Hollands and E. G. Post (Skip).  
J. C. S. Fender, W. Mc. Hardy, G. Perkins and A. E. Carey (Skip).

W. Cameron, T. Tallon, J. Shepherd and W. Mair (Skip).

**Club de Recreio**  
J. Luz, C. E. Marques, A. A. Remedios and H. Alves (Skip).  
L. F. Xavier, D. C. Alves, F. V. V. Ribeiro and R. F. Luz (Skip).  
J. E. Noronha, J. F. V. Ribeiro, C. G. Silva and F. X. M. Silva (Skip).

## SECOND DIVISION

The following are the Second Division Lawn Bowls teams for Saturday:—

**P.R.C.**  
L. Glendinning, F. Channing, F. Nolan and F. E. E. Booker (Skip).  
J. E. Edwards, S. Farlow, J. Orem and G. C. Moss (Skip).  
W. Campbell, J. Riddell, A. Wright and W. Glendinning (Skip).

**Club de Recreio**  
F. A. Machado, C. A. Lopes, C. H. Basto and J. J. Basto (Skip).

F. A. Xavier, C. G. Pereira, Dr. A. P. Guterres and B. Basto (Skip).  
J. C. Remedios, L. A. Gutierrez, L. J. Silva and F. X. Soares (Skip).

**T.D.R.C.**  
F. Hillon, T. Grimes, J. Waid and T. F. Stainton (Skip).  
J. Fleming, A. McArthur, J. Polson and R. W. Keown (Skip).  
R. Main, W. Melrose, W. Seath and D. Munro (Skip).

**K.B.G.C.**  
J. Watson, S. M. White, A. Hyde Lay and R. Duncan (Skip).  
G. C. Norman, A. Macintyre, A. J. Hall and J. G. Meyer (Skip).  
F. A. Cheesman, A. Macfarlane, C. B. Hosking and E. W. Lines (Skip).

## THIRD DIVISION

The following are the Third Division Lawn Bowls teams for Saturday:—

**K.C.C.**  
W. Bambro, C. W. Bowden, J. M. Brown and J. M. Jack (Skip).  
W. W. Hirst, C. J. Tacchi, R. Marks and H. Nish (Skip).  
J. Smith, W. T. French, L. Jack and T. Carr (Skip).  
Reserve:—W. H. H. Hobbs.

**Club de Recreio**  
C. B. Basto, J. M. Sequeira, O. P. Remedios and C. R. Pereira (Skip).  
A. M. Xavier, H. B. Botelho, C. M. S. Alves and E. Sousa (Skip).  
A. F. Noronha, C. M. Silva, M. A. Carvalho and P. Yvanovich (Skip).

**K.T.G.C.**  
C. Mose, J. Tang, J. L. Stephens and A. Spary (Skip).  
W. Howard, T. K. Lim, Y. Atienza and H. Gittins (Skip).  
A. E. Castro, H. Y. Hsu, Y. Abbas and A. H. Basto (Skip).



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# W. V. Field Has Fine Record

## TEDDY FINCHER STILL UNBEATEN

(By "SKIP")

W. V. Field, the Kowloon Football Club Third Division skip, is the first this season to have the honour of being 100 shots up, and has so far played in six games, all of which he has won.

There are no changes in the positions of the leading first Division skips, where F. X. M. Silva, of Recreio is still leading, followed by the unbeaten E. C. Fincher of Kowloon Cricket Club.

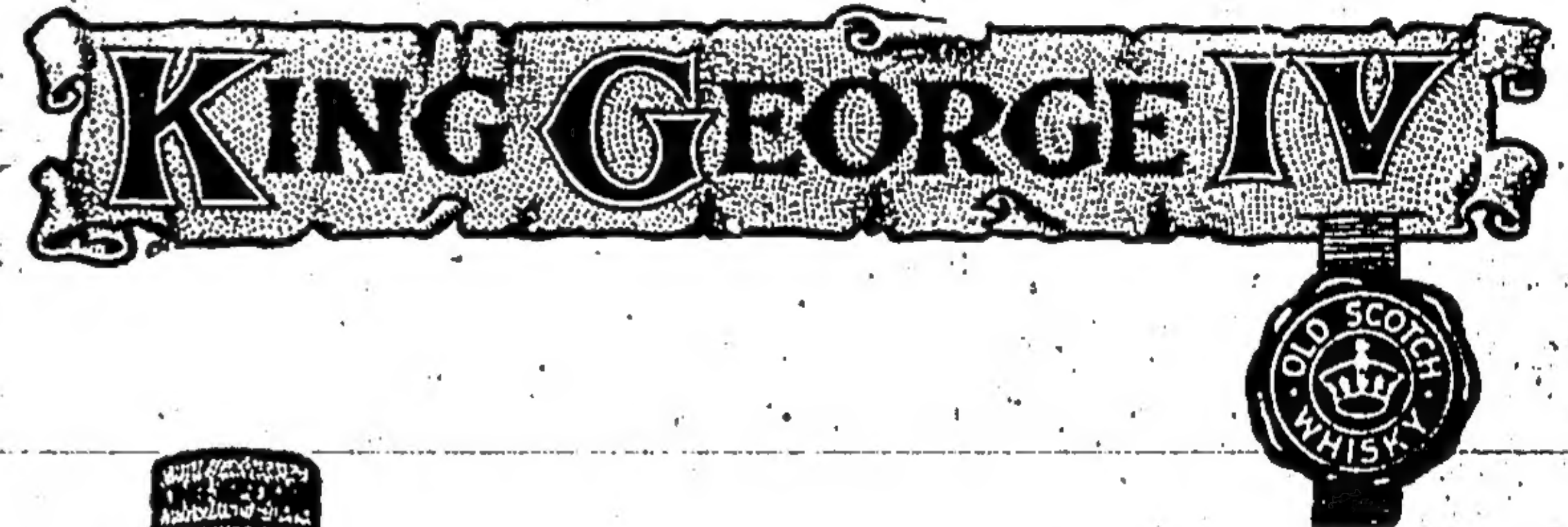
The following is the record of all skips in the Three Divisions of the League.

FIRST DIVISION									
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	Ag.	Up	Down	Pts.
F. X. M. Silva (Recreio)	7	7	0	0	153	111	42	0	14
E. C. Fincher (K.C.C.)	6	5	1	0	130	94	36	0	11
R. Duncan (K.B.G.C.)	7	5	1	1	138	101	37	0	11
J. Hollidge (C.S.C.C.)	5	4	0	1	96	79	17	0	8
R. F. Luz (Recreio)	5	4	0	1	105	92	13	0	8
U. M. Omar (C.C.C.)	6	4	0	2	138	102	36	0	8
B. W. Bradbury (C.C.C.)	6	4	0	2	130	100	30	0	8
J. C. Brown (K.D.R.C.)	6	4	0	2	124	113	11	0	8
J. Hyde (K.C.C.)	7	4	0	3	138	140	0	2	8
E. el Arculli (I.R.C.)	6	3	1	2	126	102	24	0	7
E. G. Post (P.R.C.)	4	3	0	1	100	72	28	0	6
E. W. Lines (K.B.G.C.)	4	3	0	1	91	57	34	0	6
F. Cullen (K.D.R.C.)	5	3	0	2	98	87	11	0	6
E. Kern (K.C.C.)	7	3	0	4	142	140	2	0	6
H. A. Alves (Recreio)	7	3	0	4	115	127	0	12	6
R. Basa (C.C.C.)	6	2	0	4	131	119	12	0	4
A. R. Dallah (I.R.C.)	6	2	0	4	103	123	0	20	4
A. R. Minu (I.R.C.)	6	2	0	4	97	117	0	20	4
J. McKelvie (K.D.R.C.)	6	1	1	4	93	121	0	28	3
A. E. Carey (P.R.C.)	1	1	0	0	21	16	5	0	2
H. G. Cooper (K.D.R.C.)	1	1	0	0	22	17	5	0	2
C. G. Silva (Recreio)	2	1	0	1	35	34	1	0	2
G. C. Moss (P.R.C.)	3	1	0	2	63	68	0	5	2
J. Shepherd (P.R.C.)	3	1	0	2	48	60	0	12	2
G. Perkins (P.R.C.)	3	1	0	2	56	69	0	13	2
C. B. Hosking (K.B.G.C.)	3	1	0	2	46	61	0	15	2
W. E. Hollands (P.R.C.)	3	1	0	2	43	68	0	25	2
G. Sherriiff (C.S.C.C.)	4	1	0	3	58	90	0	32	2
L. Guy (K.B.G.C.)	5	1	0	4	87	104	0	17	2
J. Deakin (C.S.C.C.)	1	0	0	1	13	19	0	6	0
A. E. Silkstone (K.C.C.)	1	0	0	1	10	23	0	13	0
J. F. McGowan (C.S.C.C.)	2	0	0	2	34	53	0	19	0
J. G. Meyer (K.B.G.C.)	2	0	0	2	29	48	0	19	0
W. Mair (P.R.C.)	4	0	0	4	57	87	0	30	0
S. Randle (C.S.C.C.)	6	0	0	6	76	132	0	56	0
Totals	156	76	4	76	2946	2946	344	344	156

SECOND DIVISION									
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	Ag.	Up	Down	Pts.
F. X. Soares (Recreio)	7	5	0	2	163	120	43	0	10
W. Gill (H.K.F.C. "A")	6	4	1	1	139	103	36	0	9
E. Tuck (H.K.F.C. "B")	6	4	1	1	118	132	0	14	9
A. E. Carey (P.R.C.)	5	3	2	0	112	89	23	0	8
J. G. Meyer (K.B.G.C.)	5	4	0	1	102	90	12	0	8
W. S. Drake (K.B.G.C.)	7	4	0	3	140	130	10	0	8
B. Basto (Recreio)	7	4	0	3	140	131	9	0	8
M. J. Medina (C.C.C.)	4	3	1	0	93	69	24	0	7
J. J. Basto (Recreio)	7	3	1	3	129	129	0	0	7
M. A. R. Souza (C.C.C.)	3	3	0	0	72	47	25	0	6
J. S. Logan (K.B.G.C.)	5	3	0	2	95	104	0	9	6
J. Cavanagh (C.C.C.)	6	3	0	3	133	115	18	0	6
D. Munro (T.R.C.)	6	3	0	3	113	110	3	0	6
A. Brooksbank (H.K.F.C. "B")	6	2	1	3	106	118	0	12	5
G. C. Moss (P.R.C.)	3	2	0	1	48	68	0	20	4
F. E. E. Booker (P.R.C.)	5	2	0	3	114	84	30	0	4
K. M. Omar (C.C.C.)	5	2	0	3	95	114	0	19	4
J. Rodger (H.K.F.C. "A")	6	2	0	4	140	112	28	0	4
R. M. Keown (T.R.C.)	6	2	0	4	133	141	0	8	4
J. W. Cook (C.S.C.C.)	6	2	0	4	120	132	0	12	4
J. A. R. Selby (H.K.F.C. "B")	6	2	0	4	98	145	0	47	4
S. Eccleshall (C.S.C.C.)	5	1	1	3	83	107	0	24	3
F. W. H. Haynes (H.K.F.C. "A")	6	1	1	4	106	125	0	19	3
T. F. Stainton (T.R.C.)	6	1	1	4	103	131	0	28	3
T. Armstrong (K.B.G.C.)	2	1	0	1	52	32	20	0	2
W. R. Hillyer (C.S.C.C.)	2	1	0	1	43	41	2	0	2
G. E. F. Thompson (K.B.G.C.)	2	1	0	1	41	45	0	4	2
A. B. Allan (C.S.C.C.)	4	1	0	3	75	81	0	6	2
F. Nolan (P.R.C.)	4	1	0	3	57	101	0	44	2
M. N. Rakusen (C.S.C.C.)	1	0	0	1	20	25	0	5	0
J. Orem (P.R.C.)	1	0	0	1	15	27	0	12	0
Totals	150	70	10	70	2998	2998	283	283	150

THIRD DIVISION									
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	Ag.	Up	Down	Pts.
W. Field (K.F.C.)	6	6	0	0	167	65	102	0	12
H. Nish (K.C.C.)	6	5	0	1	133	96	37	0	10
A. Spary (K.T.C.)	6	5	0	1	133	106	27	0	10
W. Muskett (H.K.E.R.C.)	6	4	0	2	121	91	30	0	8
J. Gibson (K.F.C.)	6	4	0	2	126	111	15	0	8
E. da Souza (Recreio)	3	3	0	0	65	53	12	0	6
P. A. Yvanovich (Recreio)	5	3	0	2	107	89	18	0	6
T. W. Carr (K.C.C.)	6	3	0	3	134	105	29	0	6
A. H. Basto (K.T.C.)	6	3	0	3	120	97	23	0	6
J. Sloan (H.K.E.R.C.)	6	3	0	3	122	118	4	0	6
R. A. Trengove (H.K.F.C.)	6	3	0	3	124	131	0	7	6
S. Lillierap (C.C.C.)	4	2	1	1	79	75	4	0	5
H. Gittins (K.T.C.)	6	2	1	3	114	128	0	14	5
C. E. Roza-Pereira (Recreio)	7	2	1	4	109	147	0	38	5
W. J. Pehney (C.C.C.)	2	2	0	0	41	29	12	0	4
J. S. Beach (H.K.F.C.)	2	2	0	0	38	33	5	0	4
W. H. Atkins (C.C.C.)	2	2	0	0	38	33	5	0	4
A. M. Holland (K.F.C.)	3	2	0	1	75	49	26	0	4
L. de Rome (H.K.E.R.C.)	5	2	0	3	103	91	12	0	4
E. Zimmern (C.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	24	11	13	0	2
V. C. Labrum (K.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	22	14	8	0	2
T. Fergusson (K.F.C.)	1	1	0	0	27	19	8	0	2
M. J. Medina (C.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	18	15	3	0	2
R. Lapsley (K.F.C.)	1	1	0	0	18	15	3	0	2

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	Ag.	Up	Down	Pts.
J. M. Jack (K.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	17	14	3	0	2
G. S. Archbutt (R.H.K.Y.C.)	2	1	0	1	40	39	1	0	2
R. H. E. Marks (K.C.C.)	2	1	0	1	34	40	0	6	2
R. H. Wild (R.H.K.Y.C.)	2	1	0	1	47	49	0	2	2
V. Walker (H.K.F.C.)	3	1	0	2	58	65	0	7	2
A. E. S. Alves (C.C.C.)	4	1	0	3	65	75	0	10	2
J. M. S. Rozario (Recreio)	4	1	0	3	65	84	0	19	2
W. W. Hirst (K.C.C.)	4	1	0	3	66	86	0	20	2
A. Murdoch (R.H.K.Y.C.)	4	1	0	3	66	95	0	29	2
J. A. D. Morrison (R.H.K.Y.C.)	4	1	0	3	63	94	0	31	2
C. M. S. Alves (Recreio)	1	0	1	0	21	21	0	0	1
A. A. Lewis (C.C.C.)	1	0	0	1	15	20	0	5	0
L. E. Lammert (H.K.F.C.)	1	0	0	1	14	22	0	8	0
W. Ward (C.C.C.)	1	0	0	1	11	22	0	11	0
A. F. Paul (H.K.E.R.C.)	1	0	0	1	18	30	0	12	0
V. C. Chittenden (K.F.C.)	1	0	0	1	9	22	0	13	0
J. Fraser (K.C.C.)	1	0	0	1	12	27	0	15	0
O. P. Remedios (Recreio)	1	0	0	1	10	27	0	17	0
E. J. Edwards (H.K.F.C.)	2	0	0	2	26	44	0	18	0
J. Pau (C.C.C.)	2	0	0	2	22	46	0	24	0
H. H. Pegg (H.K.F.C.)	4	0	0	4	63	99	0	36	0
A. W. Brown (R.H.K.Y.C.)	6	0	0	6	75	138	0	63	0
Totals	150	73	4	73	2879	2879	405	405	150



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A Dream Of Paradise (Claude Lytleton—Hamilton Gray).  
Killarney (Falconer—Balfie).  
12.40 p.m.—Barnabas von Geczy & His Orchestra.  
Fresh Breezes (Borchert).  
In Merry Mood (Haringer).  
Black Orchids (Richartz).  
Adua—March (Olivieri).  
España—Waltz (Waldteufel).  
Castanet—Waltz (Willy Richartz).  
1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.  
1.03 p.m.—Mendelssohn—Concerto In E Minor, Op. 64. Played by Fritz Kreisler (Violin) and The State Opera Orchestra conducted by Dr. Leo Blech.  
1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.  
1.40 p.m.—Variety.  
2.15 p.m.—Close down.  
6 p.m.—Studio—The Children's Hour.  
7 p.m.—Vocal & Instrumental Variety.  
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Leben Ohne Liebe, Waltz (From 'Nie Wieder Liebe')....Lillian Harvey with Orch.  
Ich Lass Mir Meinen Körper Schwarz Bepinseln—Fox-Trot (From 'Einbrecher')....Willy Fritsch with Orch.  
Two Planos—Fox Trot Medley. Ivor Moreton and Dave Kaye on two pianos with string bass and drums.  
Vocal—Some Of My Songs (Mabel Wayne): In a Little Spanish Town; It Happened in Monterey; Who Made Little Boy Blue?... Sung by Mabel Wayne at the piano with Violin and 'Cello.  
Orchestra—You're Always In My Arms (From 'Rio Rita'); 'Rio Rita'—Selection.... Reginald King and His Orchestra.  
7.28 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.  
7.30 p.m.—London Relay—'At The Black Dog'. Mr. Wilkes at home in his own bar-parlour. Presented by Pascoe Thornton and S. E. Reynolds.  
8 p.m.—Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.  
8.03 p.m.—Songs by Webster Booth (Tenor).  
A Bird Sang In The Rain (Haydn Wood).

Undivided (Sievier & Thayer).  
A Song For You And Me (Rizzi).  
Moon Of Romance (Strachey).  
8.15 p.m.—Studio—A Concert by Z.B.W. Orchestra.  
1. Tarantelle (Brancucci).  
2. Smoky Clouds (Ranzato).  
3. Tu Sei La Vita Mia (From 'You are my Life'); Notta A Venezia (Camaiti-Ourei).... Beniamino Gigli (Tenor) and the Berlin State Opera Orchestra conducted by Bruno Seidler-Winkler.  
4. Three Dances (Scott).  
5. (a) L'Ultima Gondola (Nucci); (b) Voce lontana (Nucci).  
6. Nattinata Veneziana (de Mari—Cinque); La Serenata (Cesareo—Tosti).... Beniamino Gigli (Tenor) with Orchestra conducted by Dino Olivieri.  
7. Serenata Goliardica (Lattuada).  
8. Ballet Egyptien (Luigini).  
9.15 p.m.—London Relay—'World Affairs'. A talk by J. L. Brierly, O.B.E. Chichele Professor of International Law in the University of Oxford.  
9.30 p.m.—London Relay—The News.  
9.50 p.m.—Beethoven—Quartet In B Flat Major, Op. 130. Played by the Budapest String Quartet (Roismann Quartet—Roismann—Schneider—Opolyi—Schneider).  
10.25 p.m.—Songs by Herbert Janssen (Baritone).  
Widmung 'Du Meine Seele' (Dedication) Op. 25, No. 1 (Ruckert—Schumann).  
Allerseelen, Op. 10, No. 8 (von Gilm—R. Strauss).  
Zueignung, Op. 10, No. 1 (von Gilm—R. Strauss).  
10.35 p.m.—Military Band Music.  
11 p.m.—Close down.

# Beethoven Quartet By Budapest String Orchestra

GSB 9.51 Mc/s (31.55 m.)  
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5 a.m.—Big Ben. 'Take your Choice.' A weekly entertainment feature.  
5.45 a.m.—'World Affairs.' A talk by J. L. Brierly, O.B.E., Chichele Professor of International Law in the University of Oxford.  
6 a.m.—The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra.  
6.50 a.m.—The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 7 a.m.  
7.15 a.m.—Close down.  
TRANSMISSION 2  
Frequencies—  
GSH 21.47 Mc/s (13.97 m.)  
GSG 17.79 Mc/s (16.86 m.)  
GSF 15.14 Mc/s (19.82 m.)  
10.45 a.m.—Big Ben. The B.B.C. Northern Ireland Orchestra.  
11.30 a.m.—'At the Black Dog.' Mr. Wilkes at home in his own bar-parlour.  
12 noon—Violin Recital by Ruth Pearl.  
12.15 p.m.—'George Edwardes Memorials'—1: 'The Old Gaiety.'  
1.15 p.m.—'World Affairs.' A talk by J. L. Brierly, O.B.E., Chichele Professor of International Law in the University of Oxford.  
1.30 p.m.—The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 1.45 p.m.  
1.50 p.m.—End of Transmission 2.

TRANSMISSION 3  
Frequencies—  
GSJ 21.53 Mc/s (13.93 m.)  
GSH 21.47 Mc/s (13.97 m.)  
GSG 17.79 Mc/s (16.86 m.)  
GSO 15.18 Mc/s (19.76 m.)  
2 p.m.—Big Ben. Excerpts from Mozart's Opera 'The Marriage of Figaro.'  
2.30 p.m.—A Mid-week Service, conducted by the Right Rev. James Black, D.D., Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland (1938). From the Church of Scotland in the Empire Exhibition, Glasgow.  
3 p.m.—Pianoforte Recital by York Bowen.  
3.20 p.m.—'The Dansant.'  
4 p.m.—The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 4.15 p.m.  
4.20 p.m.—'Matters of Moment.' A talk by Edward Thompson, in a series for listeners in India.  
4.35 p.m.—Medvedeff's Balalaika Orchestra.  
5 p.m.—Close down.



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The plodder always complains that the brilliant player will pick moments for his brilliancy where it would be better for him to be sound. The brilliant player contends that the plodder by lack of imagination throws away numerous opportunities.

In to-day's hand, South was a plodder, North, a brilliant player; East and West, two average experts.

South, Dealer

Both sides vulnerable—North-South Part Score of 60.

NORTH  
S.—6  
H.—K Q 9 8 5  
D.—Q 9 7 3  
C.—Q 6 3  
WEST EAST  
S.—A 9 5 3 S.—K Q J 7 2  
H.—10 4 H.—7 8 2  
D.—J 6 D.—K 5  
C.—J 9 8 5 4 C.—K 7 2  
SOUTH  
S.—10 8 4  
H.—A J 6  
D.—A 10 8 4 2  
C.—A 10

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1 D Pass 1 NT (1) 2 S (2)  
Pass (3) Pass 3 D (4) Pass

Pass 3 S Pass Pass  
4 D 4 S Double (5) Pass  
Pass Pass

(1) An unnecessary brilliancy. Not only has North fine support for diamonds and a hand which shows distinct Slam possibilities if South has a good hand, but he has a sound heart suit which he will now be unable to show.

(2) Not shutout by the notrump bid.

(3) South must pass.  
(4) Showing diamond support belatedly.

(5) Another inexplicable brilliancy. Having first decided that he must fool the opponents by bidding a notrump, he continues the deception by doubling.

While there is no excuse for North's terrible bidding, South got even with him in the play.

On the Ace of Diamonds opening, North played the three, whereupon South decided that North probably held the King of Clubs and the King of hearts, and accordingly, shifted to his Ace of clubs. North played his lowest, the three-spot, but East false carded with the seven, whereupon South continued with the ten, which was covered by the Jack from Dummy. North played the Queen and East won with the King.

East now drew trumps and discarded two of his hearts on the clubs, thereby fulfilling his four-spade contract and leaving the brilliant North and the plodding South holding the well-known bag. Not only can North and South make five diamonds with no trouble whatsoever, but they should have set the four-spade contract 500 points, and to this day they are still arguing as to which was worse, North's bidding or South's play.

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## INSURGENTS MAKE PROGRESS

Salamanca, To-day.  
The fourth brigade of the Galician Army Corps is stated to have reached a point 35 kilometres from Sagunto and 55 kilometres from Valencia.

Owing to capture of Villareal, 5 miles from Castellon de la Plana, the Republican militia still holding out in the environs of Castellon and whose number is estimated at about 5,000, are deprived of any possibility of retreat, and their early surrender is expected.

The town of Castellon itself is reported to have suffered little damage since the insurgents abstained from making use of artillery.—Trans-Ocean.

## GERMAN CHURCH RUMOURS

Berlin, To-day.

Foreign press reports announcing the forthcoming foundation of the "National church of the German Reich," are authoritatively stated here to be entirely fantastic.

It is added that there would be no reason for any such step since the clergy of the different Protestant churches decided on May 31 to take the oath of allegiance to Chancellor Hitler.—Trans-Ocean.

Berlin, To-day.

South African ex-Service men, headed by Brigadier General Tanner, visited the memorial here yesterday and laid a wreath. Amongst those present was the Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha.—Trans-Ocean.

## GERMAN VIEW OF AUSTRIAN DEBT QUESTION

BERLIN, TO-DAY.

IN A LENGTHY COMMENTARY ON THE NEGOTIATIONS ON THE AUSTRIAN FOREIGN DEBTS WHICH ARE GOING ON IN LONDON, A "DIENST AUS DEUTSCHLAND" BULLETIN STATED LAST NIGHT.

"One gains the impression in Berlin that German official quarters are opposed to 'political debts' as such and the National Socialist leaders even before the ascension of the Party to power declared that they would not recognize such debts."

In the case of the Austrian debts, the bulletin states, the opinion prevails in Germany that the loan was granted for the sole purpose of preventing a rapprochement between Austria and the Reich, this view being substantiated by the fact that the loan was granted after the plans for an Austro-German Customs Union had finally collapsed.

The fundamental aim of Germany, it is stated, has always been to achieve clarity and understanding on the question of political debts which have burdened the world economic system for years.

### "NOT SURPRISING"

In view of the events of the recent years in Austria, it is not surprising that the Reich should now maintain that the Austrian foreign loans were merely for the purpose of enabling a small minority to suppress the true will of the people.

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## MORE RESTRICTIONS ON JEWS

Vienna, To-day.

Jews of either sex will henceforth not be admitted to teacher training colleges or to commercial schools in Austria under terms of a decree issued here yesterday.

The decree likewise fixes the number of Jewish children who will be authorised to attend secondary schools at two per cent. of the total number of school-children.

The number of Jewish children attending such schools will thus be reduced to about 450 in the next school year as compared with upwards of 6,000 at present.

The decree further provides that special classes must be forward for Jewish children, who may no longer be taught together with Aryans.—Trans-Ocean.

## MOTOR RACE CANCELLED

Bruenn, To-day.

The Masaryk motor race, biggest international automobile race in Czechoslovakia, held near here in September each year, in which great interest is shown by international motor-racing circles, was cancelled for this year by the promoters, the Maehrisen Silesian Automobile Club, yesterday.

Reason given is the unsatisfactory international situation, and it is pointed out that other important international contests, including the Grand Prix of Monadeo, have been put off.—Trans-Ocean.

## LONDON QUAKE

London, To-day.

Several slight earth tremors were registered here between 2.33 and 3.49 yesterday afternoon. The centre of the disturbance was in the city. The shocks were so slight, however, that the majority of the Londoners remained unaware of the tremors. As far as known no damage has been caused by the shocks.—Trans-Ocean.

Prague, To-day.

President Benes received the Premier, Dr. Hodza yesterday. The Premier reported on the outcome of the parleys which he had with representatives of the Sudeten German Party on Tuesday, and on the progress made by the political committee of the Cabinet with regard to the Nationalities Statute.—Trans-Ocean.

Aside from such considerations, however, economic and political circles according to the bulletin, are determined to do all in their power to come to an agreement with England.

Although a note containing the German proposals has been published, it is safe to say that the Austrian debts will not be regulated individually. The opinion is expressed that negotiations will also be opened with other guaranty States on the basis of the present trade situation.—Trans-Ocean.

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## SUEZ CANAL DUES

Cairo, To-day.

It is stated that the earnings of the Suez Canal Company for 1937 were five per cent. less than in the preceding year, whereas working expenses increased eight per cent. Canal dues were twice reduced in 1937, in the hope of thereby increasing traffic.

Despite the unfavourable experience thus made, the Board of Directors is said to be contemplating further reduction of dues.—Trans-Ocean.

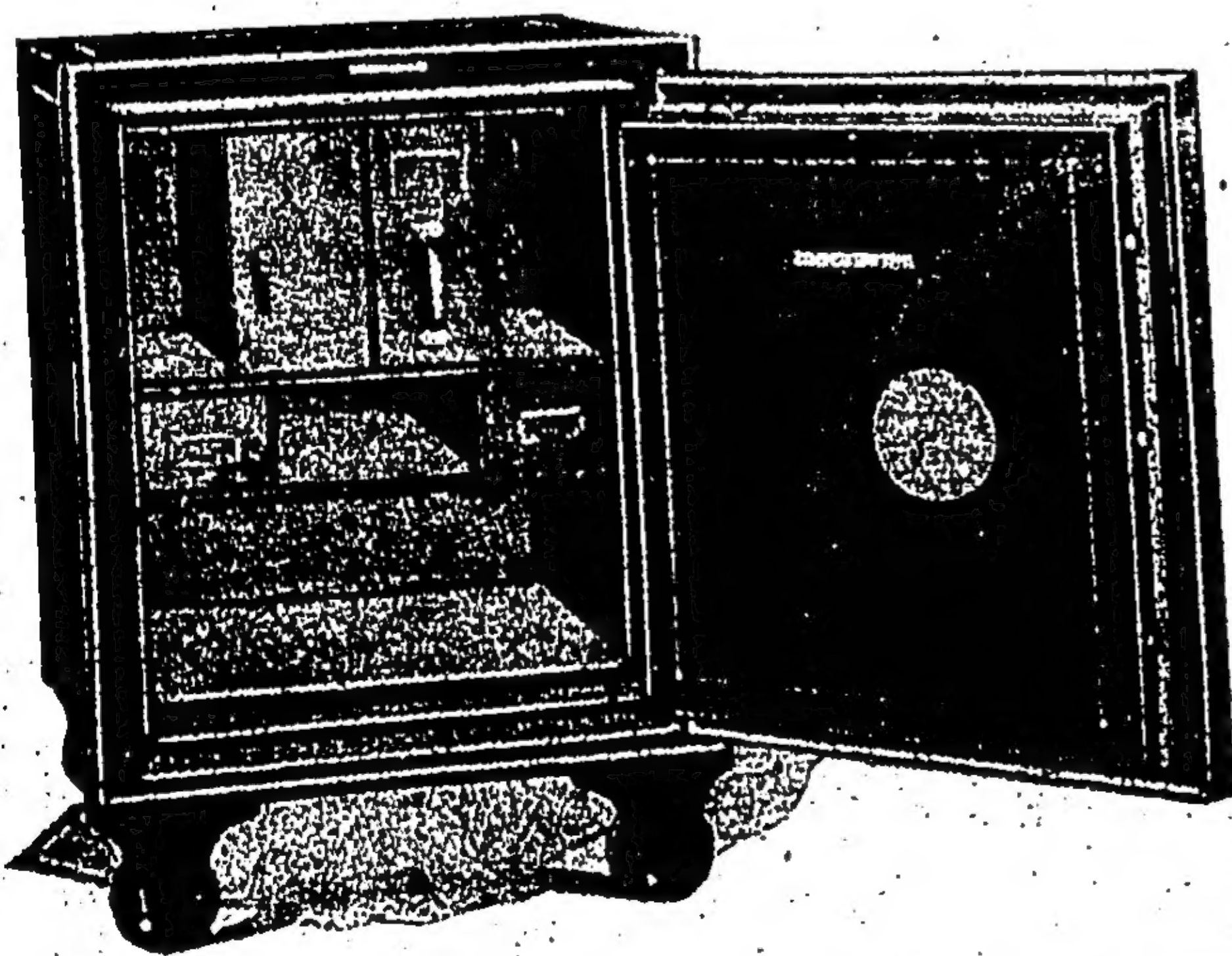
## VON CRAMM APPEAL

Berlin, To-day.

The famous tennis champion, Gottfried von Cramm's appeal against the sentence of twelve months' imprisonment passed on him will, it is announced, be heard on June 21.—Trans-Ocean.

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